

# British Warship and U-Boat Sunk

## CHAUFFEUR FINED \$100 FOR VIOLATING LAW

Arrested Operating Auto While Intoxicated—Stranger in City Plays Old Swindling Game

Fred W. Briggs, auditor at the Avery Chemical Co. in Waverlet, was found guilty of drunkenness and operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, by Judge Enright in police court, this morning, and fined \$5 for drunkenness and \$100 for the more serious offense. The court impressed upon the defendant the seriousness of operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor and informed him that in the event of a second offense the minimum sentence is one year in the house of correction. The court, having no discretion in the matter, the defendant was represented by Lawyers George F. Toye and Benjamin J. Malone.

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## BLAZE ON BLAZON REVOLT IN DUBLIN

Assessor Put Out Fire Censorship is Being Rigidly Maintained—Not Candidate for License Board No Despatches Today

"The dishonest man is a tax on the honest man."

This short, snappy sentence was jerked out by Assessor Blazon who was talking with one of his co-workers when a newspaper guy dropped in at the assessor's office at city hall this forenoon for the sole purpose of asking Mr. Blazon if he is a candidate for license commissioner.

"The newspaper fellow didn't inquire into Albert's statement regarding honest and dishonest men, but went right to the front and asked him if he is a candidate and really and truly, Albert acted as though he rather anticipated the question."

Sir Albert has a way of doing things, nonchalantly like, and no sooner had his interrogator popped the question than did Albert throw himself into his chair, advance his feet to the table and touch a match to a cigar, the smell of which he inhaled with a satisfied air. He looked as though he might be formulating some line of attack.

"You can say," quoth Albert, "that—"

That's as far as Albert went. Somebody shouted fire and the fire was directly in the rear of Albert. He had thrown the cigar into the waste basket and so quickly did the blaze shoot up that it seemed for a precious moment as if his clothing was on fire.

Did Albert jump? No he is not that kind of a fellow. He got up out of his chair and, in his nonchalant way, heretofore mentioned, he picked up the blazing basket, tossed it out of the window, and so going back to his seat and his "six-for-five," said: "You can say that I am not a candidate for license commissioner."

The auxiliary service of the French army is now employing women where they can be used to an advantage.

## FOUR BRITISH CAVALRY SQUADRONS ANNIHILATED

Turks Report Success Near Quatia—British Battleship Russell Sunk in Mediterranean—124 of Crew Missing—German Submarine Sent to Bottom by British Off English Coast—Another Contingent of Russian Troops Landed in France

Naval events are again to the front in the war news with today's announcement that the British battleship Russell has been sunk in the Mediterranean by striking a mine and a German submarine has been sent to the bottom by the British off the English east coast.

There were more than 500 on board the Russell and about 124 are missing. Eighteen men on the German submarine were captured.

The Russell was comparatively an old vessel, having been completed in 1902. She displaced 14,000 tons and her heavy guns were four of the 12-inch type. She is the eleventh British battleship to be lost during the war.

800 Men Annihilated

Constantinople reports Turkish successes in the fighting near the Suez canal, declaring that in an engagement near Quatia, four British cavalry divisions, numbering about 800 men, were annihilated. Successful raids by Turkish aeroplanes on a

British warship at El Kantara, on the canal and the docks at Port Said, also are announced.

More Russian Troops in France

Another contingent of Russian troops has reached Marseilles for service on the western front. This makes the third contingent of Russian troops. The French military authorities have permitted to be reported. As in previous instances the strength of the

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Autopsy on Infant

Body of Female Child Found in Tewksbury a Few Days Ago

Medical Examiner J. V. Meigs, this afternoon, submitted to Judge Thomas J. Enright of the local police court, his report on an autopsy performed on the body of an unidentified female child, a few days old, whose body was found off Chandler street in Tewksbury the day before yesterday.

The body when found was wrapped up in three newspapers, two of them bearing the date of January, 1915, while the third was issued in March of this year. The body was taken to the state infirmary where an autopsy was held.

It was found that death was due to violence from a hemorrhage caused probably by neglect or ignorance.

READY TO FREE FILIPINOS

WASHINGTON, April 28.—House democrats in caucus last night agreed by a vote of 140 to 35 the

## BURGLARS ROBBED SAFE IN FORGE VILLAGE MILL

Got \$170 From Abbott Worsted Co.—Agent's House and Post Office Recently Robbed

Burglars entered the office of the and other silverware was overlooked by the thieves, who evidently took their time as they partook of a luncheon in the pantry and dining room. Members of the Cameron family heard noises in the house shortly after they retired, but thought it was the family cat. It is an odd coincidence that after looting Supt. Cameron's house, the mill of which he is head should be burglarized.

During the past two weeks the residence of Albert Bicknell in Westford has been entered and the house ransacked but nothing of value was taken. The postoffice in Forge Village, which is situated directly opposite the Abbott-Worsted Co., also received the attention of thieves several days ago, but only candy and cigars were taken. No money is kept over night in the postoffice.

The Lowell & Fitchburg Street Railway Co. has reported that within the past few days several copper bonds have been stripped from the railway between Forge Village and North Chelmsford. The company has offered a reward. It is understood, for the arrest and conviction of those who committed the deed.

Four Explosions

It is believed that the thieves were amateurs, as it took four explosions to blow the safe. The first explosion was heard about 2 o'clock by the night watchman, who thought the noise was made by horses in the mill barn, which is situated directly in the rear of the office.

He went to the barn to investigate and found everything all right. He then resumed his tour of inspection through the mills.

The second, third and fourth explosions came about 2:30 and 3 o'clock. Both doors of the heavy iron safe were blown from their hinges and the top and sides were cracked in several places. Plaster was chipped from the walls and ceiling and three windows were blown out. Chairs and desks in the office were knocked over by the force of the explosions and a portion of the wall near the safe was badly damaged. The damage done to the interior of the office, it is believed, will total over \$500.

Nitro-Glycerine Used

Nitro-glycerine and soap were used in cracking the safe and the thieves made no attempt to mutilate the explosion. This morning pieces of soap were found everywhere about the office.

Watchman Frightened

Watchman Pendlebury heard the fourth explosion and got to the office through one of the mill buildings just in time. It is said, to see the forms of two or three men disappearing in the darkness.

He then remembered seeing three men hanging about the building at about 10:30 o'clock and again at 12 o'clock last evening. At that time he had an idea that they were watching him, but he did nothing about it. After discovering that the safe in the office was blown, he did not send in an alarm until about an hour later, out of fear that if he came out of the office he would be shot.

Authorities Notified

Superintendent Julius A. Cameron notified the proper authorities this morning of the break and an investigation will be made by the state police. After gathering up their loot the thieves made a quick departure from the office, and it is thought that they got out of the town in an automobile.

Explosions Heard by Residents

The looting of the safe at the Abbott Worsted Co. was the main topic for discussion in Forge Village today. Several people residing in the vicinity of the mills heard the explosions, but thought they were railroad torpedoes. In conversation with the Sun representative today Supt. Cameron said that little money is carried at the company's office, as a result of a lesson learned about 8 years ago when both the offices of the company at Granitville and Forge Village were entered and considerable money taken. He said the money stolen this morning was in pay envelopes.

Relief of Terror

The towns of Westford and Forge Village have been undergoing a reign of terror for the past few weeks and several breaks have occurred. Only two nights ago the residence of Supt. Cameron in Westford was broken into and about \$150 worth of silverware was taken. Entrance to the house was gained through a dining room window, and the silverware was taken mostly from that room. A large silver vase

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## EDUCATING THE IMMIGRANT

Important Meeting at State Normal School—Prominent Speakers

Dr. Snedden, T. B. Fitzpatrick, P. F. Sullivan and Jos. Spano Heard

Plans to Train Teachers For Immigrants In Our Evening Schools

**JOHN J. MAHONEY**  
Normal School Principal

More men should have attended the meeting called by the Lowell and Lawrence school departments, the state department of university extension and the Lowell state Normal school, and held in the assembly hall of the Normal school last night, for the meeting dealt with a very important subject—the problem of the instruction of non-English speaking people. There were about 200 persons present, mostly women.

It was the initial meeting in the interest of a movement that concerns and interests the Merrimack valley. The purpose is to arouse general interest in securing special training for evening school teachers in order that the problem of educating and assimilating the foreigners who come here may be met with a greater degree of efficiency. In order to carry this point it is necessary to enlist an active public interest and a spirit of vital and hearty co-operation.

Before the meeting adjourned last evening it was announced that next Wednesday night there will be held at the Normal school a teachers' conference to be led by M. J. Downing, assistant director of evening schools in Boston, whose subject will be "Fundamental in Teacher Training for Evening School Teaching." While it will be a teachers' conference, the public, it was stated, will be welcomed. It will be the first of a series, similar in nature. The meeting last night was presided over, and very graciously too, by John



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## B. &amp; M. BOOMING

War Business Boosts  
March Profits to \$53,  
587—New Record

Special to The Sun  
BOSTON, Mass., April 28.—The March statement of the Boston and Maine railroad emphasizes the benefits accruing from the great railway traffic resulting from the war business and the increased trade activity that has followed it. The gross receipts for March made a new record and the net result after deducting the month's proportion of all fixed charges was a profit of \$53,587 as compared with a loss of \$19,747 in March of last year.

There was a gain of \$37,062 in gross receipts, of which \$41,292 came from freight, while the passenger revenue continued disappointing, showing a loss of \$15,086 as compared with last year.

For the nine months to the end of March there was a gain in the freight earnings of \$3,195,729 and a gain in other transportation and incidental revenue amounting to \$409,175, but on the other hand there was a decrease of \$600,447 in the passenger revenue, thus reducing the total gain to \$2,914,457.

Operating expenses were kept down during the earlier months of the year to such an extent that for the nine months the total operating expenses were \$276,017 less than a year ago, making a net gain of \$3,490,144 in the operating revenue, of which \$3,103,396 appears in the net income after all charges have been deducted; this means that in place of a deficit of \$703,114 for the nine months of last year, there is for the nine months ending March 31 last, a surplus of \$2,400,250.

The surplus indicates that the results for the full year ending next June will show something better than 6 per cent. earned on the stock, and gives ground for the greatest hopefulness regarding the future. It is not to be forgotten, however, that the company has a floating debt to be financed, and that a considerable sum of money must be spent on the property within a short time. It is the necessity for both which makes the pressing need for reorganization of the system. It is proposed in the plan recently announced to finance the floating debt through the proceeds of an issue of preferred stock and place the company in a position to finance advantageously the needs of the property later on.

Officials of the road hope there will be no unnecessary delay in bringing about the reorganization for now while the company is prosperous. It can be done to much better advantage from the standpoint of the stockholders than at a time when earnings are less favorable. The results for the year indicate that the Boston and Maine, under its present management, can be depended upon to earn dividends in good times and by the expenditure of money on the property it should be possible to make better net returns in the future through the provision of improved and additional facilities. Altogether, the outlook for the road has changed radically in the last few months and the income will be to lessen the burden on the stockholders. HOYT.

## TO MEET THE KIMBALLS

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM TO PLAY ITS  
FIRST GAME OF SEASON AT  
BUNTING PARK TOMORROW

The high school baseball team which will oppose the Kimball System team at Bunting park tomorrow afternoon will be picked from a formidable array of material that has been practicing under the direction of Coach Pulsifer and Capt. Lynch. The belated spring weather has prevented the coach from shaping up his team as yet but it is assured that the aggregation Capt. Lynch leads on the field will give Paul Clark's sign painters a good battle. The high school team will be made up from the following players: Catchers, Liston and Goodall; pitchers, Falls, Mulno, Scott, and Isherwood; infielders, Switzer, Hayward, McVey, Desmond, Condon, Moriarty and Mansur; outfielders, Lynch, Sucoz, Foley, O'Brien, Callahan and Barnard. The Kimball's lineup will be as follows: Desmond c, Curry and Condon p, Clark 1b, Grant 2b, Linnehan 3b, McPherson ss, McSweeney lf, Brennan cf, Chadwick rf. Manager Clark will have several substitutes on hand including Marcotte, Soucy, Harris and Gill.

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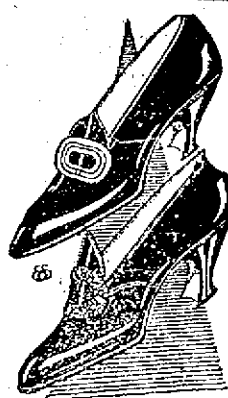
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## NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Jitney Bill Passes House—Civil  
Service Extension—Other Mat-  
ters of Local Interest.

BOSTON, April 28.—The Massachusetts house of representatives, after discussing senate amendments to the bill to prohibit the practice of law by corporations, by a vote of 44 to 1, refused to concur with the amendment to prohibit corporations from practicing before any committee of the legislature and to strike out the prohibition on giving legal services or advice.

It concurred, however, with the senate amendment to punish any official

who violates the act by a fine of not more than \$500 and also with the amendment exempting from the bill any adjustment bureau, any corporation lawfully engaged in insurance against liability for damages on account of injury to persons or property, and newspapers answering inquiries through their columns and corporations which provide legal advice or assistance to their employees.

The bill for a two weeks' tour of

duty for the Massachusetts militia was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. Drury of Waltham was given leave to have printed as a house document a report of the committee on taxation analyzing and explaining the income tax bill, together with an appended statement by the tax commissioner.

Mr. Pierce of Greenfield was unsuccessful in securing substitution for an adverse report of the committee on street railways a bill for the enlargement of the powers of street railway companies.

Jitney Bus Bill Passed

The house passed to be engrossed a bill to provide for the regulation by cities and towns of the operation of jitney buses. Before this action was taken the bill was amended to provide that it should apply to the operation of vehicles between designated termini and also that only one bond need be filed by the operator.

The house refused, by a rollcall vote of 109 to 101, to reconsider its action of Wednesday whereby it accepted the joint adverse report of the committees on public health and agriculture on the state department of health's bill to

regulate and supervise the production, sale and distribution of milk.

It is substituted for the adverse report of the same committees on the Williams' milk grading bill a resolve to provide for the printing of 4000 copies of the report of the state department of health's investigation of the milk business in Massachusetts.

Consideration was postponed Tuesday of the bill to regulate the business of making small loans. When the bill comes up an amendment, drawn by Assistant Corporation Counsel George A. Flynn of Boston, will be offered.

The amendment is to meet the objections of the Morris plan promoters and is designed to permit the Morris plan banks to make "paper charges," which, under the original bill, were explicitly prohibited. It provides that lenders may charge "interest and expenses" of not more than three per cent a month, in the aggregate, on the amount actually received by the borrower.

There were referred to the committee on rules a petition of Mayor Curley that city of Boston be authorized to lay a surface drain across state land from Gaffney street to St. Paul street and a petition that the town of Hallowell be authorized to incur debt for water supply.

Committee Reports

These committee reports were received:

Ways and Means—Ought to pass, bill for a juvenile session of the superior court. Mr. Fitzgerald of Boston dissents: bill for improvement by the state highway commission of a highway in Plymouth and Bourne; bill to authorize the state highway commission to acquire land and construct a highway in Revere from a point on Revere street, at or near its junction with the existing state highway, to a point at or near Winthrop avenue or to a point between Winthrop avenue and Charles Eliot circle, at a cost of \$250,000.

Counties—Ought to pass, bill to provide for the recovery of damages by persons whose property has been injured by the improvement of River road from Southbridge to Webster through the town of Dudley, ought not to pass, bill giving authority for impounding stray dogs and appointment of dog officers.

Public Health—Ought to pass on the resolve for the appointment of a commission to investigate the extent of the use of habit-forming drugs and the effectiveness of the law for regulation of their sale.

Railroads—No legislation necessary on the report of the public service commission and others relative to charges for freight transportation to or from piers in South Boston.

The committee on metropolitan affairs reported a bill to transfer \$200,000 from the Boston harbor compensation fund to the port directors, to be used for improvement of the Mystic river between the Chelsea and Malden bridges, also a bill to transfer the balance of the Commonwealth's

improvement fund to the port of Boston fund.

Old Harbor Bill Signed

Gov. McCall has signed the bill to provide for the improvement by the city of Boston of the old harbor section of Dorchester bay. He presented the bill to Representative John L. Monahan of South Boston, through whose efforts the passage of the measure was secured.

The measure provides that the city may spend approximately \$600,000, which proposition is favored by Mayor Curley and the council. It will permit the dredging of the mud flats so that a water-filled basin will exist at all stages of tide.

The bill will permit the extension of the overflow sewer pipes to meet the mean low-water mark. It will bring about the reclamation of about 50 acres of land available for park and recreation purposes. There will also be constructed a sandy beach along the old harbor water front.

THE PHILIPPINE BILL

DEMOCRATIC LEADERS OF HOUSE  
CONFIDENT OF PASSAGE OF  
MEASURE

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Democratic leaders of the house apparent-

ly were confident today of the passage of the Philippine Independence bill as a result of the action of the party caucus last night.

The caucus, by a vote of 140 to 35, approved the senate bill, although it was agreed to permit an amendment in the house to the prohibition section of the measure. The vote came after opponents of the bill had fought vigorously to prevent action. Twenty-five members declined to be bound by the caucus action.

The bill is to be taken up in the house immediately after the passage of the agricultural appropriation bill which is expected by tomorrow night at the latest.

IN THE CANAL ZONE

Army Maneuvers Have Reached An  
Interesting Stage, According to Gen.  
Edwards

PANAMA, April 28.—The army maneuvers in the canal zone, undertaken on an extensive scale to work out problems connected with the defense of the Pacific entrance to the canal, have reached an interesting stage.

According to Brig-Gen. Clarence B. Edwards, commander of the canal zone, the maneuvers already have demonstrated the feasibility of a hostile attack overland from either Chama Bay or near Aguadulce.

Capt. William B. Pratt, naval aide on Gen. Edwards' staff, has asked the secretary of the navy to detail a cruiser and several submarines to a permanent station at each end of the canal.

## CLEAN UP

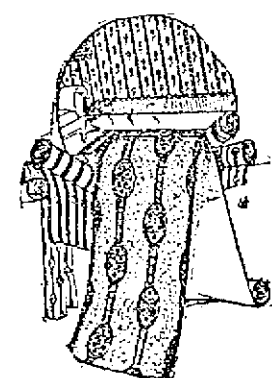
It is time for you to prepare for CLEAN-UP WEEK which comes the first week in May. We may have some good weather by then. While doing your part remember that we have a full line of tools and seeds for you to select from.

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## ASQUITH BEATEN

## CATHOLIC FEDERATION

Premier Withdraws the  
Conscription Measure  
in Parliament

LONDON, April 28.—A bill providing for extension of military service was introduced in the house of commons yesterday, but it aroused such a degree of opposition that the government announced it would not press the measure.

Walter Hume Long, president of the local government board, placed the bill before the house, saying that it was the intention of the government to enlist every unmarried man between the ages of 18 and 41. He said that one month would be allowed before the bill, if passed, went into effect.

## COMMENT BY PAPERS

LONDON, April 28.—The morning newspapers virtually all speak of the situation which has arisen in parliament through the unavoidable reception of the withdrawal of the government's military service bill as a new political crisis. The Daily News' lobby correspondent says:

"The incident shows it is useless for sections of the ministers to agree on a compromise if they have not secured the consent of their respective supporters. The cabinet was deluded by the secret session and assumed that because the plan was not then upset it would afterwards receive the assent of the house. The secret sessions are now condemned even by their authors as absurd and not to be repeated. The alleged compromise obviously satisfies nobody and the cabinet had to withdraw the bill or invite immediate defeat which would have meant its departure from office."

The Daily News notes that the nationalist party have decided to withdraw the support which they hitherto had given to the coalition cabinet and will hold themselves hereafter free to act independently as their own policy dictates.

## FIRM ON SEIZED PAPERS

STATE DEPARTMENT AND GERMAN  
EMBASSY AT DEADLOCK—  
PAPERS MUST BE IDENTIFIED

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The state department and the German embassy apparently are at a deadlock over the disposition of papers seized by agents of the department of justice, when they raided the offices in New York of Walter von Igel, former secretary to Count von Bernstorff.

The state department is willing to return the papers, as demanded by the German ambassador, if he or some other responsible official of the embassy will identify them as being official.

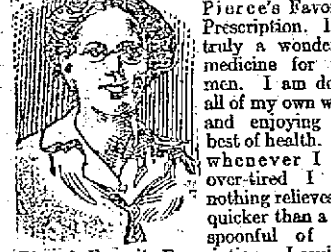
Count von Bernstorff insists upon having all the documents and refuses personally to identify them unless directed to do so by his government. He has asked the Berlin foreign office for instructions.

Both Count von Bernstorff and John E. Stanchfield, counsel for von Igel in the criminal proceedings against him, called upon Counselor Polk yesterday. The ambassador discussed the case of von Igel informally, but did not ask for the papers. He said that his visit had not changed the situation. Stanchfield also engaged in an informal discussion of the case. It was said at the department, however, that Counselor Polk declined to enter into any negotiations with him, on the ground that he was not clothed with diplomatic authority. Mr. Stanchfield returned to New York yesterday accompanied by von Igel.

Nearly 200,000 women are now being employed in the British munition factories.

## WHAT A MOTHER SAYS.

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CALL ISSUED FOR ANNUAL CON-  
VENTION TO BE HELD IN BOSTON  
ON MAY 14

The call for the annual convention of the Archdiocesan Federation has been issued. It says:

The eighth annual convention of the Catholic Federation of the Archdiocese of Boston is hereby called and will be held in St. Alphonsus hall, Smith street, Roxbury, at 2:30 o'clock, on Sunday afternoon, May 14, 1916. St. Alphonsus hall is located in the rear of the Mission church, off Tremont street and near Roxbury Crossing.

In accordance with the provisions of the amended constitution of the Archdiocesan Federation this will be a consolidated convention of the officers, the members of the executive boards, and the delegates to the Archdiocesan Federation and the county and district branches thereof in Suffolk, Middlesex, Essex, Norfolk and Plymouth counties, consisting at the present time about 550,000 members.

The following are entitled to be present at the convention as delegates: The officers and members of the executive board and of the standing committees of the Archdiocesan Federation; officers and members of the executive boards and members of the executive boards of each of the county and district branches of the Federation; delegates-at-large to the Archdiocesan convention elected from and by each of the county and district branches; delegates from the several parishes and Catholic organizations to the conventions of the county and district branches; representatives from the unaffiliated Catholic societies of the archdiocese, including fraternal, social, religious, educational, racial and women's organizations.

The order of business includes: (1) Call for the convention and appointment of committees. (2) Reports of the officers—a review of the work of the Archdiocesan Federation; the county and district branches. (3) Reports of legislative and standing committees. (4) Election of officers for the year. (5) New business. The convention will be governed by the constitution and by-laws of the Catholic Federation of the Archdiocese of Boston and the amendments thereto.

Addresses will be made on the legislative and educational work of Federation by President Henry V. Cunningham and representatives of the Catholic organizations and parishes of the state. A message will also be received from His Eminence, William Cardinal O'Connor, honorary president of the Archdiocesan Federation and its spiritual leader.

Admission to the convention will be by the enclosed credentials. These are to be signed by the pastor of the parish or the president of the organization or society represented by the delegates. A general invitation is hereby extended to unaffiliated Catholic organizations to send three delegates to the convention who should be elected by the society or appointed by the president, as the circumstances will permit.

Henry V. Cunningham, Boston, president; Charles F. Daly, secretary; address, Catholic Federation Headquarters, room 43, Globe building, 244 Washington street, Boston, Mass.; Rt. Rev. Mgr. M. J. Spillane, P. R., Roxbury, chaplain.

## POSED AS AN HEIR

Man Accused by Woman Who Says He  
Sold Bonds She Gave Him During  
Their Engagement

BOSTON, April 28.—A romance came to light yesterday at the trial in the superior criminal court of Archibald D. Sullivan, aged 60, on an indictment of bond fraud, causing him of the larceny of bonds worth \$1000 from Mrs. Agnes P. Dillingham of 107 School street, Jamaica Plain, a school teacher in East Boston. She entrusted the bonds to him for safe keeping after they had become engaged, she said. By chance she met him in this city in June and he paid marked attention to her, giving her the impression that he was in very comfortable circumstances.

She went to ride with him and he pointed out property, including a \$60,000 estate, which he said he was settling up as administrator of his father's estate.

According to her story, he told her his father was a stevedore and had left about \$700,000 to \$1,000,000.

Evidence was offered that shortly after Mrs. Dillingham turned over the bonds to Sullivan they were sold in New York for \$1000. He disappeared suddenly in August.

His brother, John A. Sullivan of 19 Folk street, Charlestown, said he had not seen the defendant before his arrest in 15 years. He never knew his father had any property at all. His parents rented the house they lived in and never lived in or near a \$60,000 residence.

Sullivan, on the stand, said his father owned no property. That Mrs. Dillingham misunderstood him, but that some one in Fall River was going to leave his father a vast estate. At the last minute, however, it had been left to a clergyman.

## NEW STATE DISTRICTS

MASS. LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE  
ANNOUNCES PLANS COM-  
PLETED

BOSTON, April 28.—Plans for the redistricting of the state into new councillor and senatorial districts were virtually completed by the legislative redistricting committee yesterday.

The new senatorial districts have been completed except one ward in Cambridge. It is suggested that this be put in the same district with Somerville, but opposition to this has developed. This matter will be settled next week.

It was decided to extend the Cape district as far north as Abington. Brookline will be districted with Brighton and Watertown.

As in the past the councillor districts have been laid out so as to give the democrats but one sure district—that in Boston.

In the first district, Quincy and Weymouth, which have been in the second district, have been added. Bellingham, Franklin and Hyde Park have also been taken out of the second district, and Watertown and several of the Boston wards have been added. These are the new wards, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26.

The third district is made up of ward 2, East Boston; wards 3 and 4, Charlestown; wards 5 and 6 in the down town section; wards 9, 10 and 11, the new South Boston wards, and wards 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 20 in the South End, Roxbury and Dorchester. Old ward 20 thus will come in the all-Boston district.

The fourth district retains the present wards 10 and 11 and secures in addition wards 3 and 4 in Cambridge, 11

loses Brighton, which goes into the second district. The other districts, except the changes mentioned, remain as they are. Essex and Worcester counties each lose one house member in the reapportionment, while Bristol and Hampden each gain one. All other counties retain the same number of representatives. Except in Suffolk, where a special commission is at work, the county commissioners will do the redistricting as far as representative districts are concerned.

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MRS. DONALD McLEAN DYING. BALTIMORE, Md., April 28.—Mrs. Donald McLean, past president of the Daughters of the American Revolution, early today was said to be sinking rapidly at the hospital to which she was brought from Norfolk, Va., two weeks ago.

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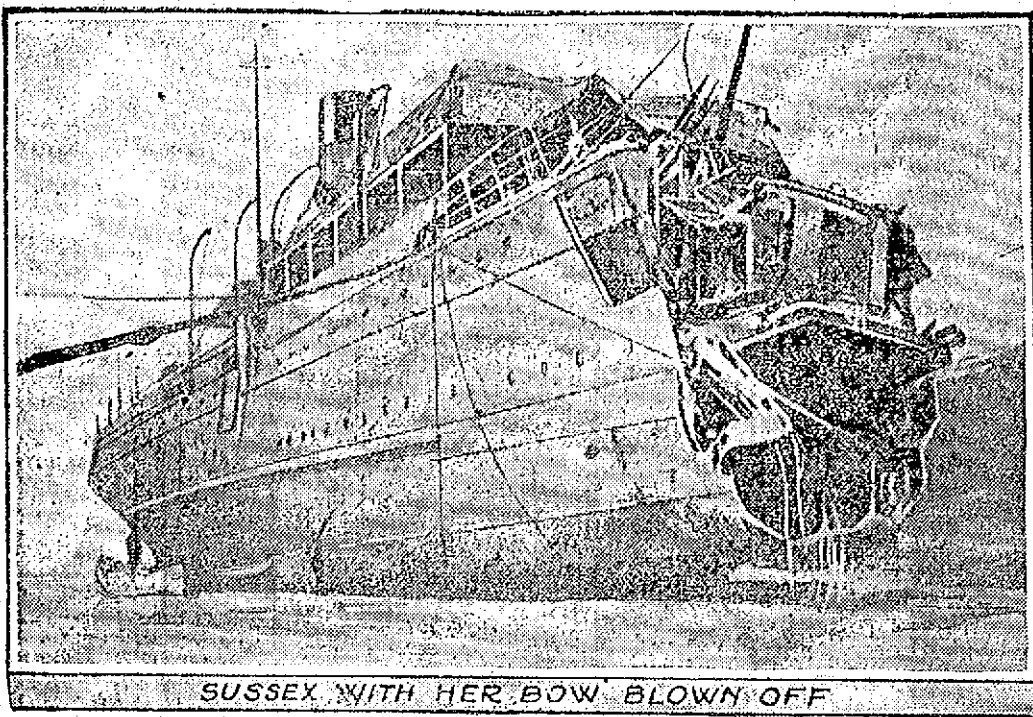
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# SUSSEX EXPLOSION BLEW AWAY WHOLE BOW OF CHANNEL STEAMER



SUSSEX WITH HER BOW BLOWN OFF

The accompanying picture shows the channel steamer Sussex after the explosion on March 24, which killed or injured about 150 passengers, among the injured being several Americans. The Sussex was beached at Boulogne and the great damage done to her by the explosion, which the United States government says was caused by a torpedo from a German submarine, is seen in the picture. All her forward parts were blown away as far aft as the bridge and only her watertight bulkheads kept her afloat. This is the first photograph showing the extent of the damage to the Sussex to reach this country. The German official report on the attack by a U boat on an "unknown steamer," the same day, hour and place that the attack on the Sussex was made, said that the forward part of the steamer as far aft as the bridge was blown away. The Cologne Gazette said a few days ago that the Sussex case is still quite unclear up.

## MR. HOVEY'S CONCERT

GROUP OF YOUNG PUPILS GAVE  
FINE PROGRAM IN EDSON HALL  
LAST EVENING

A very delightful and wholly original concert of mandolin, banjo and guitar music was given in Edson Hall, St. Anne's parish house, last evening by pupils of William P. Hovey, assisted by the Bluebirds of Boston and Miss Jean Fowler of Pittsburgh. Miss Helen R. Smith and Miss Grace Rubie, the Bluebirds, sang some exceptionally fine selections and gave folk dances, and Miss Fowler was heard in readings, but the greatest interest of the audience was in the work of Mr. Hovey's pupils who certainly did everything to uphold the reputation he has made as a teacher of stringed instruments. Many of the young

musicians are mere children and their mastery of the instruments at so early an age was the subject of much favorable comment by the large audience present.

There is a witchery about the music of mandolin, banjo and guitar in orchestral efforts that cannot be found in other instruments, and last evening the effect was enchanting. Whether in the slower music of feeling or in the lilting gaiety of the tripping pieces heard more often on these strings, the group of students did remarkably well. The various instruments were played in time and tune, and the difference in technique was made the most of so as to bring out effects of feeling. The opening march had a snap and vigor that showed the great possibilities of the musical combination, and the waltzes and more sentimental passages were given with great feeling. Where all played so well, it would be superfluous to pick out any one for the has made as a teacher of stringed instruments. Many of the young

Lowell has long ago discovered his special ability as a teacher, and he never had a class that did better work than that of last evening.

The Bluebirds—Miss Smith, contralto and Miss Rubie, soprano—gave great pleasure by their numbers. Their singing of "Passage Birds Farewell" and "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" was beautiful in arrangement and execution, and the dances of Miss Smith were full of grace and spirit. Miss Fowler gave her readings with intelligence and artistry, proving herself one of the most effective readers that Lowell has heard recently.

Following are the pupils of Mr. Hovey who took part: Mandolin, Eunice Cooke, Gracie C. Dexter, Chauncey E. Harris, Arlyne Pratt, Dorothy C. Pevey, Albert S. Redway, Ruth Simpson, Lucy C. Stover, Benjamin L. Whitler, Muriel R. Crompton, Charles Fairbanks, Sarah Meigs, E. Sterling Pratt, Arthur G. Pollard, second; Jack Sawyer, Olga Shay, Holland A. Stevens, Harold Harry M. Boardman, Marce H. Pratt, Charles L. Stover, Jr., Howard Pratt, Harry G. Pollard, Jr., J. Milton Washburn; guitars, Katherine L. Carmichael, Victoria Munn, E. Martha Sheppard, John M. Greene, Helen L. Pratt, Ames Stevens. The ushers were Frederick G. Kilek, Douglas R. Buchanan, Ralph R. Melton and Allyn Morse.

The program follows:

a—March, Red Rover ..... Weidt  
b—Molly Limer ..... Pether  
Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar  
Orchestra  
Duet, Passage Birds Farewell, Hildach  
Banjo Duet, A Darktown Intermezzo, Jacobs  
Harry G. Pollard, Jr., Chas. L. Stover, Jr.  
Miss Edith Martha Sheppard at the Piano  
Reading, The Woe of Miss Wopnet, Field  
Miss Fowler  
Contralto Solo, Carmena Waltz Song, Wilson  
Miss Smith  
Guitar Solo—  
a—Melodia Espanola, ..... Arr. Romero  
b—German Air ..... Arr. Hayden  
Miss Victoria Munn  
Dance, Narcissus—Caprice ..... Viennese  
Music, Kreisler  
Miss Smith  
Endymion Waltzes ..... Smith  
Mandolin and Guitar Orchestra  
Soprano Solo, Japanese Love Song, Thomas

Reading, The Pudding, May Isabelle Fisk  
Miss Fowler  
Dance, Pierrrot, Miss Smith  
Guitar Quintet, Mazurka, ..... Romeo  
Miares Carmichael, Munn, Pratt, Sheppard and Mr. Hovey  
Duet, Somewhere a Voice is Calling, Tate  
Misses Rubie and Smith  
March, Colored Guards ..... Weidt  
Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar  
Orchestra

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A busy meeting of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, was held last evening with a large attendance. A communication was read from Agassiz council, of North Cambridge, announcing that the members would visit Highland council as soon as possible. Luncheon was served and what was enjoyed. It was announced that at the next meeting of the council, on May 11, Dr. Charles E. Simpson of the state board of health will give a lecture on "The Man and the Microbe."

Spiritual City Lodge, 33, Independent Companions of America, met last evening in regular session in Post 129 hall. Several applications for membership were received and acted upon and three new members were initiated. Remarks were made by Supreme President Mrs. Clara McPhail.

DISCUSS INTERNATIONAL LAW  
WASHINGTON, April 28.—Complexing questions which have arisen between the belligerents and neutrals as a result of the European war formed the themes of discussion at today's session of the American Society of International Law.

## BERLIN MARKET FIRM

FEELING OF CONFIDENCE THAT  
THREATENED BREAK WITH U. S.  
WILL BE AVERTED

BERLIN, April 26, via London, April 27. (Delayed.)—A feeling of confidence that a solution will be found to the pending German-American difficulties and that the present tension will be ended exerted an evident influence on the Berlin stock exchange today. The market was quiet, but firm and dealers who yesterday unloaded various lines of stocks were today repurchasing. No tangible developments upon which this confidence is based are yet evident and the situation, so far as it can be ob-



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served has changed little in the last 24 hours.

The chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg and Admiral von Holtzendorff, chief of the naval general staff, are now at the general headquarters, but no immediate decision is expected to come from there on the general issue.

Ambassador Gerard has not received the additional instructions from Washington which are heralded in the newspaper despatches. Their arrival undoubtedly will contribute toward a settlement. Not the least of the difficulties in the way of reaching an understanding is the restricted channel of communication between Washington and Berlin. Ambassador von Bernstorff is unable to communicate with his government except in open cipher and no supplementary information on the situation in Washington is available here. A high German statesman said to the correspondent of The Associated Press this afternoon:

"No, we have no news and Ambassador Gerard, I understand, has none either. This fact makes negotiations extremely difficult. We have as yet taken no decision and do not intend to take them in the absence of further information."

The statesman did not wish to discuss the possibilities of a settlement, but so far as could be judged from his manner, he was not discouraged except by the fact that he and his colleagues were forced to work more or less in the dark.

## POST OFFICE BLOWN UP

BOWDOINHAM, ME., BUILDING  
ROBBED FOR SEVENTH TIME  
IN DOZEN YEARS

BOWDOINHAM, Me., April 28.—The local post office which has been burglarized at least seven times the past dozen years, was badly wrecked today by three explosions and robbed of postal funds and stamps to the value of several hundred dollars. Three men were seen to leave the building by Timothy Millay over whom one of the trio stood guard nearly an hour after he had paid a shot to frighten them away immediately after the first explosion. Millay apparently was the only person who heard the explosions. A post office inspector a few hours later began an investigation.

## ATTACKED PRES. WILSON

GOVERNMENT AGENTS ARREST  
H. B. STILZ, FORMERLY A NAVY  
YARD DRAUGHTSMAN

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—Government agents made known today that they have under arrest H. B. Stilz, formerly a draughtsman at the Philadelphia navy yard, who is accused of distributing a pamphlet attacking President Wilson. Stilz, it is alleged, wrote a letter to President Wilson several months ago of such a character as to cause the draughtsman's dismissal from the navy yard. After his discharge, it is alleged, he began the distribution of the pamphlet. Stilz was arrested last night at a hall, where a great bazaar is being held for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the central European powers.

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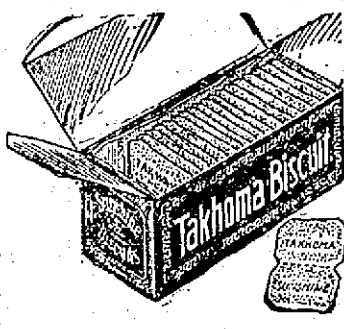
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1 Pound Eng. Assorted, 22c

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PASTRY FLOUR, 24 1/2 lbs. .... 79c | OLD GRIST MILL EN. WHEAT, 12 Lbs. .... 55c

10c Can Green PEAS, each ..... 7c | 10c Can Sugar CORN, each ..... 7c | 10c Can Sliced PEACHES, each ..... 7c

PURE BULK COCOA, lb. .... 17c | ELBOW MACARONI, lb. .... 7 1/2c

13c Can Table PEARS, can ..... 9c | Alaska Pink SALMON, can ..... 8c | 13c Can Table PEACHES, can ..... 10c

10c Package MACARONI ..... 6c | Cut String BEANS, can ..... 6c | Hermit Brand PEAS, can ..... 6c

## SUGAR 37c | Cheese 17c

WELCOME SOAP ..... 7 Cakes 25c | Currants, pkg. .... 10c | Hammer Soap ..... 9 for 25c

Citron, lb. .... 16 | P. & G. Naphtha .7 Cakes 25c | Raisins, pkg. .... 10c

5c ROLLS TOILET PAPER ..... 8 for 25c | 5c BOX DOUBLE DIP MATCHES ..... 8 for 25c

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg. .... 8c | Karo Syrup, can ..... 8c | Old Dutch, can ..... 8c

FINE TAPIOCA, Cooks in a Minute, pkg. .... 9c | ROYAL BAKING POWDER, can ..... 12c

## VEGETABLE DEPT.

MESHEROONS, lb. .... 40c  
KALE, pk. .... 15c  
HUNG HERRING, lb. .... 12c  
MIXED BEANS, lb. .... 14c  
JOE TOMATOES, lb. .... 7c  
GREEN BEANS, qt. .... 12c  
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CUTTED CORN, BEET, lb. .... 24c  
SCULLIONS, 3 for 5c  
SWEDEN POTATOES, lb. .... 4c  
LETTUCE, hd. .... 5c  
TUBER APPLES, pk. .... 30c  
PARSLEY, lb. .... 5c  
EGG PLANT, lb. .... 8c  
GREEN PEPPERS, lb. .... 13c  
SQUASH, lb. .... 5c  
SPINACH, pk. .... 10c  
DANDELIONS, pk. .... 10c  
RHUBARB, lb. .... 5c

## DELICATESSEN DEPT.

HEAD CHEESE, lb. .... 10c  
FRANKFURTS, lb. .... 12 1/2c  
BEEF SAUSAGE, lb. .... 13c  
MINCED HAM, lb. .... 14c  
PRESSED HAM, lb. .... 14c  
POLISH SAUSAGE, lb. .... 12 1/2c  
BLACK FIDDLINGS, lb. .... 10c  
PRESSED CORN, BEET, lb. .... 24c  
SPICY CORNED BEEF, lb. .... 20c  
VEAL LOAF, lb. .... 20c  
BEEF LOAF, lb. .... 20c  
TOMATO SAUSAGE, lb. .... 13c  
PICKLED PIGS' FEET, lb. .... 5c  
PICKLED TRIPE, lb. .... 5c  
PORK SAUSAGE, lb. .... 13c  
BOILED HAM, lb. .... 13c  
ROAST PORK, lb. .... 13c  
PORK BEEF, lb. .... 13c  
SAUERKRAUT, lb. .... 5c

## FRUIT DEPT.

STRAWBERRIES, box ..... 15c  
PINEAPPLES, each ..... 10c  
PADDLE PINEAPPLE, doz. .... 3 for 10c  
GRAPEFRUIT, doz. .... 20c  
HLOOD ORANGES, doz. .... 12 1/2c  
SPANISH ORANGES, doz. .... 20c  
GRAPEFRUIT, each ..... 5c  
LARGE SWEET LEMON, doz. .... 20c  
LEMONS, doz. .... 10c  
LARGE GRAPEFRUIT, 3 for 25c  
PEANUTS, qt. .... 15c  
ASSORTED CHOCOLATES, lb. .... 20c  
DROMEDARY DATES, pkg. .... 8c  
QUEEN OLIVES, qt. .... 23c  
STUFFED OLIVES, qt. .... 15c  
POINCE CARBON, lb. .... 10c  
BUTTER-TUITS, lb. .... 12c  
GINGER SNAPS, lb. .... 6c  
BLACK RICE OLIVES, can ..... 12c

## LEGGS 15c | LEGGS 18c to 20c

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Danahy's Easter Brand Ham, ..... 22c | SMOKED SHOULDERS, lb. .... 13c

Morrell's Iowa Ham, lb. .... 22c | Boston Boneless Rolled ROAST BEEF, lb. .... 16c

Cudahy's Diamond C Ham, lb. .... 22c | Large Legs of VEAL, lb. 11c to 15c

Swift's Empire Ham, lb. .... 22c | Large VERMONT TURKEYS, lb. .... 30c | WESTERN TURKEYS, lb. .... 25c

FRESH SHOULDERS, 14c | Rhode Island DUCKS, lb. 15c to 18c | CORNED SHOULDERS, 12 1/2c

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Fresh Pigs' Head, lb. .... 8c | Native Dressed Pigs, lb. .... 10 to 13 1/2c | Fresh Shoulders, lb. .... 14c | Fresh Hams, Native Pigs, lb. .... 18c

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Fancy Pork Chops, lb. .... 14c | Fancy Lamb Chops, lb. .... 20c | Veal Chops, lb. .... 15c | Mutton Chops, lb. .... 15c

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Rump, lb. .... 25c | Top Round, lb. .... 25c | Sirloin, lb. .... 20c | Porter House, lb. .... 20c | Round—Cut Through, lb. .... 22c | Western Steers Tenderloin, lb. .... 25c

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## ON HALE'S BROOK

## Gov. McCall Signs Resolve Directing State Board to Investigate

Special to The Sun  
STATE HOUSE, Boston, April 27.—Gov. McCall signed his signature today to the resolve directing the state department of health to investigate the condition of Hale's or Meadow brook in Lowell, with a view to recommending to the next legislature the steps which should be taken in order to improve its sanitary condition. The resolve carries no appropriation, the department having agreed to meet the cost of the investigation out of its regular appropriation.

## CHELMSFORD ST. BRIDGE

## BOSTON &amp; MAINE OFFICIALS REPLY TO THE LOWELL BOARD OF TRADE

The officials of the Boston & Maine railroad, who were recently interviewed by a delegation of the Lowell board of trade in reference to changing the plans for an unsightly fence at the new bridge which is being built over the railroad tracks in Chelmsford street, have replied that they cannot afford to erect an ornamental fence, but if the city of Lowell or interested parties are willing to defray the expenses, which will amount to about \$325, the company will erect the fence.

A copy of the letter sent to President Marden of the board of trade is as follows:  
Boston, Mass., April 27, 1916.  
Mr. Robert Marden, President Board of Trade, Lowell, Mass.  
Dear Sir: I am sending you herewith blue print showing three types of ornamental fence which could be placed upon the Chelmsford street bridge in place of the standard fence which we had proposed to build. We have estimated the additional cost of this type of fence over that which we would build to be from \$325 to \$425, depending on the type of fence selected. We believe the standard fence is suitable and all that is necessary for this bridge and in view of the fact that plans were approved by the commission after a hearing at which all parties had an opportunity to be heard, we do not feel that we should be called upon to pay the added cost of this work.

It may be that the city of Lowell or others interested in having an ornamental fence would be willing to contribute to the additional cost of such a fence. If so, we would be very glad to build it.

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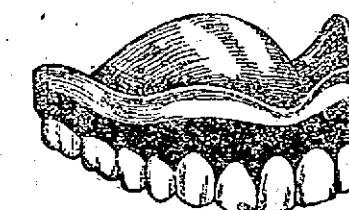
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## LOWELL MATHEWS LOST

## AGAIN DEFEATED BY BILLERICA SOCIETY IN TOURNAMENT—SCORE 11 TO 8

Just to show the members of the Mathew Temperance Institute of this city that their victory in the recent tournament was no "accident," the Mathews of Billerica repeated the performance in a tournament held at their well appointed quarters in North Billerica last evening. The city lads went out for revenge last night, and while they put up a great battle, their "country cousins" proved a little too fast for the Lowellites, and when the final scores were computed, it was seen that Lowell came out on the short end of a 11 to 8 score.

When the Billerica contingent came to Lowell about one month ago, the tournament resulted in a 10 to 5 score, and the closeness of both meetings indicates that the teams are pretty evenly matched.

The Lowell boys went into the games last night with an advantage as they had won the bowling match previously, but this little thing did not affect the tournament. On the contrary they sat out immediately to wipe out this lead, and before the tournament was in progress many minutes the Lowell men realized that they were up against strong opposition.

The features of the tournament were the pitch and whist games. When the time for playing expired, ties were announced in both events. As a result, special games were necessary and in both contests the Billerica boys were victorious. The results for the evening were then announced as follows:

Bowling, Billerica 1, Lowell 3; checkers, Billerica 1, Lowell 0; pitch, Billerica 3, Lowell 1; crib, Billerica 1, Lowell 0; pool, Billerica 1, Lowell 0; whist, Billerica 4, Lowell 1. Totals, Billerica 11, Lowell 8.

Following the tournament, all repaired to the assembly hall where after an address of welcome by Pres. Joseph O'Brien of North Billerica, an informal musical program was carried out with members of both societies contributing. Among those who participated were Harry Welsh, Warren Kane, Edward Riley, John Spillane, Frank Clark, George Eamon and William R. Sullivan. Pres. William Carey, of the Lowell society, gave a brief but interesting address on Fr. Mathew. During the evening, refreshments were served and cigars passed. At the conclusion of the final number, Pres. O'Brien called for three cheers for the Lowell society, and later the guests reciprocated.

At 11:30 o'clock, the Lowell boys boarded their special car and arrived home at midnight. The arrangements for the tournament were in charge of Pres. O'Brien, Cashier and Thomas Riley of Billerica, while the local plans were directed by Pres. Carey, Patrick Nestor, Patrick Kane, Edward Draper and Thomas Durkin.

## WANT SWIMMING PLACES

## LETTER FROM WATERWAYS COMMITTEE TO MAYOR O'DONNELL SEEKING A CONFERENCE

Mayor O'Donnell is in receipt of the following communication from the committee on waterways:

April 28, 1916.  
Hon. James E. O'Donnell, City Hall, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Mayor:  
The committee on waterways requests that the council invite representatives of the Locks & Canals to a conference together with this committee to arrange for two places within the city to be set apart as swimming places, at proper times and under suitable supervision.

The committee would prohibit swimming in the canals except at the places designated and at stated hours. The hours would be limited to the time when the canal gates were closed and no current running.

Upon investigation, the committee would suggest a spot in the Northern canal near Cheever street opposite Tucker street, and another near the spot where the Merrimack canal leads off from the Pawtucket canal, near Jackson street. These spots should be under supervision of an officer detailed there for temporary dressing quarters, perhaps of canvas, erected. The consent of the Locks & Canals is of course necessary.

The committee again calls attention to its request for places where bathing quotations from the proposed ordinance for posting near the apparatus, which should be located as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jackson Palmer,  
Chairman,  
Harry W. J. Howe,  
Frank A. Warnock.

## THE MEN'S FRATERNITY

## STATE PRISON CHAPLAIN CONTRADICTS STORIES ABOUT JESSE POMEROY

At the conclusion of a month's membership campaign of the Men's Fraternity of the First Congregational church, 90 new members were admitted. The reports were made at a meeting held last evening. The team headed by Arthur C. Bartlett brought in 41 new members and John Chalmers' boys followed with 49 applicants. Charles C. Hall of the Bartlett team won the individual prize by securing 24 members. He was presented a silver loving cup.

Besides Mr. Hall, other members who brought in new members were: Otis W. Butler, eight; Arthur C. Bartlett, seven; A. P. Sarre, four; F. C. Lawrence, three; C. N. Bixby, two, and R. B. Robinson, one.

Mr. Chalmers headed his team with a total of 15, the others bringing in the following numbers: John A. Osgood, eight; H. R. Hanson, seven; V. E. Willmott, three, and Robert S. Fulton, George Garland, Walter H. Hoyt, Orville Robinson and Homer Wood, two each.

At the next meeting of the fraternity, it was stated Mr. Chalmers and his losing team will supply both the dinner and the entertainment for the entire fraternity, that being the understanding with respect to the losing team when the contest was started.

After the business meeting, Rev. William B. Whitney, Protestant chaplain of the state, presented an interesting talk upon prison life. His stereoscopic views, which are the property of the state, can only be shown by him or by Rev. Michael J. Murphy, the

Roman Catholic chaplain of the prison. In his opening Rev. Mr. Whitney said that between \$500,000,000 and \$600,000,000 is spent annually in the United States to look after the criminals, while this year, in Massachusetts alone, \$10,000,000 will be expended. This will make the largest single item

expended in the state for any one thing besides the schools. Last year there were arrested in Massachusetts 177,000 persons, although not all of these were sent to any institution whatever, many being placed on probation. The speaker paid a tribute to Ward-Allen, Deputy Hendry and Fr. Murphy for their exceedingly good work at the prison.

Mr. Whitney characterized many of the published stories about Jesse Pomeroy, the liar, as being absolutely false. He said that Pomeroy was committed when 14 years of age, and that he has now been in the prison 42 years. In that time he has learned to read and write eight different languages, writes excellent prose, and verse, and is a constant contributor to the prison paper, writing under the nom de plume of "Grandpa." He said that the story about Pomeroy torturing cats which had been taken to his cell was without any foundation. As a matter of fact, cats frequently go to his cell and they are petted by Pomeroy and always have been. Otis W. Butler operated the stereopticon.

Eleven per cent. of the farmers in Pennsylvania employ female help in their homes.

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West Section—Right Aisle







### EDUCATING IMMIGRANTS

**Continued**

J. Mahoney, principal of the Lowell State Normal school, who stated its purpose. He said he hoped its specific outcome would be the organization of some work here that would make for the more efficient instruction of the foreigner in the evening school. He said that the problem involved transcends the limit of a teacher's functions, for it involves the Americanization of the immigrant, which is just as important as preparation, health work, the fight against tuberculosis, or any other social movement.

Mayor James E. O'Donnell

In introducing Mayor James E. O'Donnell, the chairman extended him a special welcome and said that the city of Lowell was to be congratulated in having a mayor big enough to appreciate the fact that the subject of such a meeting concerns all of the citizens over which he presides.

The mayor thanked Mr. Mahoney for his most cordial expression and said he was pleased to participate in a meeting that meant so much to the community. "We have a good educational system in Lowell," he said, "and we have been quite successful along educational lines. But we have the great problem of educating the people from foreign shores and this is the problem in which you are interested tonight. The evening school is the institution in which you are particularly interested at this time for it is the evening school that takes care of the non-English speaking people, anxious to acquire at least a working knowledge of the English language and who are employed during the day. It has very well been said that a great deal depends upon the teacher and I think that the women who teach in our evening schools are very efficient. But I think that the idea of bringing those teachers together in the manner already outlined at this meeting will be of great advantage to them and to the evening school. We may have more non-English speaking people coming to our shores after the war and it will be incumbent upon us to have schools to accommodate them. The only way to make good citizens out of the stranger who come to us is to educate them. I look upon this meeting tonight as a very important one and I feel certain that after definite plans have been formulated you will go along smoothly with a work that will make for the betterment of the community as a whole."

**Commissioner Snedden**

Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education, was the next and principal speaker. He talked very interestingly and said that in order to succeed with the work in hand it was necessary to enlist an active public interest and a spirit of hearty and vital co-operation. He said in part:

It is the aim and purpose of this conference, especially to discuss the improvement of certain forms of education for persons over 14 years of age, who must work during the day and whose only opportunities for education are to be found in evening schools. We now recognize several distinct forms of evening school education. For men and women already in industrial callings, the state and city combine to support various forms of definite extension or supplemental vocational training; and for young women in industry, the state and city also combine to offer evening instruction and training in home-making.

For others who are at work, the city offers, or can offer, evening classes in commercial subjects, instrumental drawing, foreign language, shop mathematics, and the like. Then, too, some cities offer in evening schools the regular high school subjects for those desiring to extend their general education or to fit themselves for college.

In large cities we also find developing evening classes for physical training and physical recreation. School houses are used for social centers, offering a large variety of attractive and useful means of instruction and diversion.

Finally, many cities have systematically undertaken to develop special forms of evening instruction adapted to the needs of these adults—or rather persons over 14 years of age—who have been born abroad of non-English speaking parents, are in need of opportunities to acquire a knowledge of oral and written English, and of civic principles and practices of our social life.

Unfortunately, as regards this form of education, we Americans still fall short at many points. We have no sound policies of support, supervision, purposes, or methods yet formulated. Many of us still think that in offering it we are chiefly conferring a favor upon the immigrant. Many persons think that the whole burden of the support of evening instruction for immigrants should be borne by the community, in which they reside—as though the community that presents opportunities to them for work and residence should be penalized therefor. Many persons think that anyone can teach English to foreigners, not realizing that to make such teaching really serviceable requires no less exacting training and pedagogical principles than any other complicated form of education.

I think most persons who have given careful study to the problems of the education of immigrants are substantially agreed as to the principles stated below:

a. The primary purpose in providing opportunities for the education of immigrants whom we have in effect welcomed to this country, whom we in effect invite to become in due season citizens, and whom we count as valuable contributors to the economic well-being of the nation, should be to Americanize them—that is, to bring them into sympathetic and effective relationship, even co-partnership, with our best American ideals, standards, and practices of civic and domestic life.

b. The burden of the support of education for adult immigrants should not fall alone on the local community, or even on the state which by chance becomes their first abiding place. The benefits of immigration affect the nation as a whole; the responsibilities for the proper assimilation—Americanization—of immigrants should be assumed in part by the nation, in part by the state, in part by the local community.

c. For the present it may not be expedient to provide national aid; hence the state should generously co-operate with the local area in providing financial aid for evening schools for adults needing instruction in English and other proper subjects.

d. Classes for adult immigrants should be provided in small as well as large communities. The present policy of providing them only in large cities is shortsighted in the extreme.

e. Except, possibly in the largest cities, immigrants, as well as methods of instruction should be under supervision of state, and, perhaps eventually, of national authorities. Proper oversight of expenditures of state and national funds, as well as effective administration and supervision, can only be assured by some sort of central oversight.

f. The education of foreign-born adults in English language and in civics constitutes the largest single task of these evening schools. It is safe to assume that methods of instruction adapted to older and even fully adult learners have not been satisfactorily worked out except in a few instances. A large amount of study, even research, is required here.

g. Teachers for evening schools must still be procured largely on a part-time basis—that is, they must be persons who are also employed during the day, perhaps in occupations unrelated to teaching. Ideally, teachers should be employed by the school authorities to teach a specified number of hours per week, irrespective of the fact that these hours might fall in day time or evening. For example, let it be assumed that 30 hours of teaching per week is found to be a fair requirement to be imposed on the full time teacher. Then the program of teacher might include 24 hours day service and six hours evening service; or teacher C, 20 hours day service and 10 hours evening school service.

h. Practically, we do not seem quite ready for a program of this character yet. So we employ people for our evening schools on the basis of extra time and extra pay—a form of overtime service in any case, and not fully calculated to procure the previous preparation, concentration and professional devotion that the situation requires.

i. Nevertheless, we can accomplish much under the plan. Some evening school teachers are even now as much in earnest, as devoted, and as interested in improved methods as though they were making of this particular work a life profession.

j. Another step should now be taken. Evening school teachers, and especially those concerned with the difficult work of teaching English and civics to adults, should each year have a short course of special professional improvement work. Before classes open we should have at least two weeks' attending over of those should be required of all those persons who expect to serve in evening schools. Every effort should be made to bring to these institutes the persons best qualified to exemplify improved methods of instruction.

k. It is highly desirable that advisory committees should be constituted for evening schools for adults, composed in part of leading and well Americanized representatives of the various nationalities most concerned. Regular meetings of these advisory committees should be held, partly to stimulate public interest in the work being done, partly to discover existing defects in that work.

President Sullivan

Mr. P. F. Sullivan, president of the Ray State Street railway, was introduced by Mr. Mahoney as "the biggest captain of industry in New England." Mr. Sullivan put character in the foreground as the foundation of good citizenship. "Your chairman," said Mr. Sullivan, "has introduced me as a matter of fact, industry when it is a high private life. He has wanted to hear from me and if I were to tell you what I think of him for setting me into this scrape I think my language might not be at

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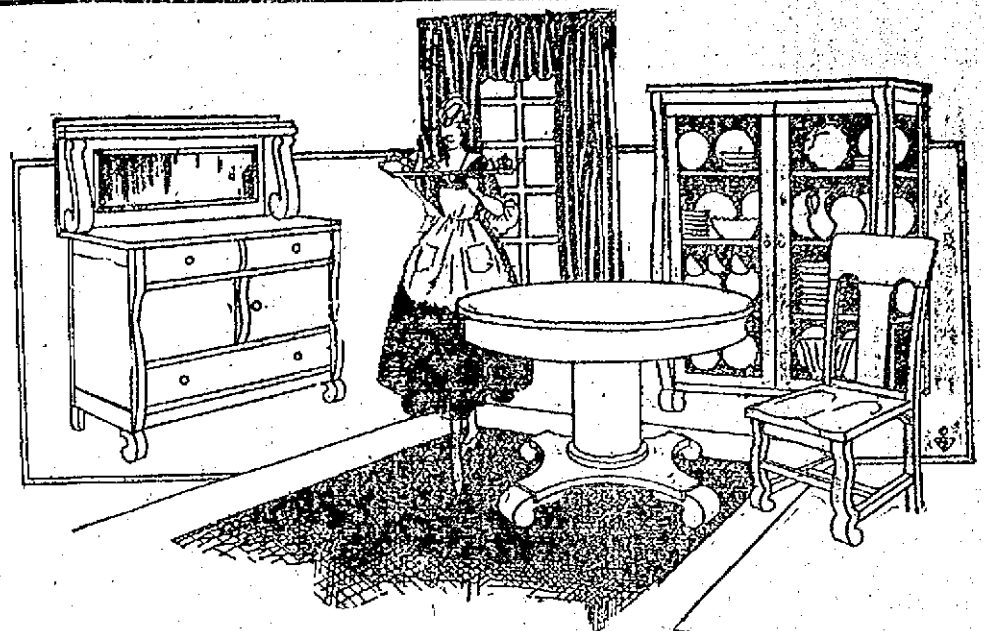
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  - CHAIRS—Chair as shown in wood seat, \$2.50; genuine leather, slip seat to match. Special price—  
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**Field Secretary Spano**

D. Chauncey Brewer, of the North American Civic League for Immigrants, was not present, but he sent a letter which was read by Mr. Mahoney, in which he urged the importance of the question to be discussed, saying that the future of a democracy, politically and economically depend upon the correct solution of this problem.

The last speaker was Joseph Spano, field secretary of the North American League for Italians. Mr. Spano is an Italian, college-bred in his native country, but not yet an American citizen for the reason, as he explained, that he has not lived here a sufficient number of successive years.

Mr. Spano said that we know very little about the immigrant and he also paid his respects to the interpreters. He said that 95 out of every 100 of them do not interpret properly; that they convey wrong impressions and create a misunderstanding between the immigrant and the citizen. He laid great stress on the necessity of specially trained teachers for immigrants.

He said it was necessary for the teacher to understand the immigrant and to take pains with him. He said the trouble is that few of us know or care to know what is behind the stony countenance of the immigrant, and we have not the sympathy nor the patience to bring it out.

Mr. Spano made a strong appeal for the woman immigrant. He pointed out that she hasn't the opportunity to attend the evening school because she has her household duties to look after. He thought the social workers

might do something for the uplift of the non-English speaking women who come here; women sorely in need of help and sympathy. "Nations," he said, "are measured by the standard of their women, and a nation that cannot raise above that standard any more than a stream can rise above the spring from which it takes its flow."

Mr. Spano thought it might be possible to reach the women through mother's meetings. "But the problem," he said, "is yours to solve. The foreigner should be taught to understand that law and order and the rights of others, must be respected. You will be surprised, then, at the tremendous response that you will get from those masses who have not been handled properly. In your tofore being preparedness do not forget this very important feature, the immigrant problem."

Mr. Spano concluded that he was proud to be an immigrant and that he will be prouder still when he can claim the distinction of being an American citizen.

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Mrs. Frank J. Maguire, of Eighth avenue, is visiting in Concord, N. H.

Ten applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the examination at city hall today. The examiner was Mr. Lathrop of the state highway commission.

The city treasurer will call for bids on city bonds in a few days for amounts aggregating \$194,000; \$65,000 for water main extensions, \$61,000 for macadamizing, \$60,000 for school additions and \$5000 for sidewalks.

An alarm from box 15 at 1.37 o'clock last night summoned a portion of the fire department to an awning fire in front of a store in Liberty square. The blaze was extinguished before any material damage was done.

The case of Harry W. J. Howe vs. the Burns detective agency, an action of contract by which the plaintiff seeks to recover \$5390 for alleged services rendered the agency, is scheduled to be heard at the civil session of the superior court in this city on May 23.

Plans are being made by the Lowell Retail Grocers and Provision Dealers association for a complimentary banquet to be held on Wednesday evening next. An excellent musical program has been arranged and the following speakers have been invited to be present: Hon. James E. O'Donnell, mayor; Hon. Henry W. Mansfield, secretary and treasurer of the Massachusetts Retail Grocers and Provision Dealers association; John H. Murphy, secretary of the Lowell board of trade; Chief of Police Raymond Walsh and former President E. Fitzpatrick of the Lowell association.

A supper and entertainment was held at the rooms of Cercle Jacques-Cartier in School street. The affair, which was given under the auspices of the organization, was largely attended and proved most enjoyable. Musical and literary numbers were given, and the affair was brought to a close at a seasonable hour. The committee in charge consisted of Joseph Lussier, chairman; H. J. Duprez, secretary; C. A. Loupart, treasurer; Eugene Landry, H. J. Mills, Albert Daignault, L. Renier and David Letendre.

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<b>SUITS</b> In checks, serges, gabardines and poplins, numerous styles..... Sold Elsewhere \$20, \$22	<b>New Sample COATS</b> \$4.75 to \$20.00 Sold Elsewhere \$7.95 to \$35 50 new samples just come in, made in different materials and styles, all sizes in the lot.	<b>SUITS</b> These suits at this price are wonders, all wool materials..... Sold Elsewhere \$16.75
<b>SAMPLE SILK SUITS</b> \$15.75 to \$22.50		<b>OTHER SUITS</b> \$6.75 to \$22.50

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# TO REGULATE THE JITNEYS

## Bill in Legislature Would Give Power to Cities and Towns—Local Situation Cited

A cry that is not very loud at the present time but that will grow until it has been heard on Beacon Hill in Boston has been raised for protective legislation in regard to jitneys. The city government framed an ordinance some time ago that carried with it a certain degree of protection, but the ordinance has been jockeyed with until it is of little or no account.

There are some operators of jitneys who are responsible to the extent of having sufficient property to pay damages in case of injury and there are others who would not be able to make good in case of accident. And whether they could make good or not, there isn't any law that requires them to do any particular thing. There has been a bill after bill before the legislature and they have been dissected with a vengeance.

A young woman whose home is in Gorham street was struck by a jitney on the night of December 12. She was on her way home from work and the accident happened only a few yards from her own door. She sustained a compound fracture of the left ankle and it is feared that she will be lame for life. She was also painfully cut about the head, face and arms. She has not worked since the accident until the present week. She is working half time now in order to pay doctor bills. She is not able to work full time.

The jitney, according to reports, was in the car tracks instead of on the right hand side of the street and was proceeding towards the city. It is also stated that the driver of the jitney left Lowell immediately after the accident and was gone for several days. The young lady referred to is employed as a telephone operator at the telephone exchange. She is obliged to suffer her pain and loss of time, without compensation, because there isn't any law that properly provides for a case of this kind.

Our Jitney Ordinance  
Section eleven of Lowell's Jitney

### FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

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# YOUNG WOMAN BEHEADED

## STREET CAR RAN WILD ON GRADE AND CRASHED INTO POLE—ONE KILLED, 38 INJURED

CINCINNATI, O., April 28.—A double truck Vine-Burnet street car, crowded with men, women and children, became unmanageable as it was approaching McMillan street here yesterday, ran wild on a down grade for six blocks, jumped the track and crashed into a telegraph pole, which also demolished it and caused the death of one woman and injury to 38 other persons.

Miss Carrie Stiller, aged 31, an attendant at the Cincinnati General hospital, was beheaded. She was to have been a bridesmaid last night at the wedding of Miss Carrie Geisler, who was seriously, although not fatally, injured.

Physicians at the various hospitals to which the injured were hurriedly taken announced late yesterday that probably 20 were in a serious condition and that some might die.

Motorman Thomas Devaney, in a statement to the police, said that he first noticed that his brakes were out of order when he attempted to slow down to throw the switch at McMillan street. The brakes did not respond and he could not help allowing the car to run past the switch and down the grade.

That sounds very good and would be fine and dandy if enforced, but it isn't being enforced. The operators of the motor busses came across with the assertion that it was impossible for them to get a policy of accident insurance because the insurance companies wouldn't issue them on the ground that the risk was too great. And there you are. The jitneys are doing business, but no policy of accident insurance has been filed with the license commission and the jitney is being operated without a license.

Very Sensible Bill

The following very sensible bill has been reported from the legislative committee on mercantile affairs and it would seem as if it covered the ground pretty well.

"Cities and towns shall have authority to license and regulate the transportation of passengers for hire by means of any motor vehicle not running on tracks or rails, and may impose reasonable license fees, make regulations for the operation of such vehicles within their own limits, and impose suitable penalties for violation of such regulations; provided, however, that no such motor vehicle shall be operated as aforesaid until the proprietor of the business in which such vehicle is to be operated, in addition to complying with all regulations of the city or town in which such vehicle is to be operated, shall have executed and filed with the treasurer of such city or town, and renewed or increased from time to time as may be required by said city or town, a bond running to said treasurer, with good and sufficient sureties, approved by said city or town treasurer, in such sum as said city or town may reasonably require, conditioned to pay any final judgment obtained against the principal named in said bond for any injury to person or property, or damage for causing the death of any person, by reason of any negligent or unlawful act on the part of the principal named in said bond, his or its agents, employees or drivers, in the use or operation of such vehicle. Any person so injured or damaged may sue on said bond in the name of such city or town treasurer, and damages so recovered shall go to the person injured or damaged."

"This act shall take effect in cities upon its acceptance by the city council, and in towns it shall take effect upon its acceptance by the voters of the town at any duly called town meeting. For the purpose of submitting this act to cities and towns, it shall take effect upon its passage."

It will be noted that in its present form the bill contains no exemption for operators of taxicabs, and under its provisions owners of such machines would be required to file the same bond as owners of common jitneys.

MUST RE-ISSUE LICENSES

ALL WERE ILLEGALLY ADVERTISED IN MAYNARD—MUST PUT "AD" IN LOCAL NEWSPAPER

MAYNARD, April 28.—Five of the six liquor licenses allowable to this town have been granted illegally and will have to be readvertised and re-issued.

This was discovered yesterday when a point of law was raised in connection with the granting of the sixth. This was to have been decided upon by the selectmen at a special meeting today. The point raised makes it likely that many other towns in the state have granted their licenses illegally also.

According to the statute, all liquor applications shall be advertised in a paper printed in the town where the license is to be granted, or shall be advertised by posting notice on the building where the applicant intends to do business.

It was pointed out to the selectmen that the local weekly papers in which applications were advertised this year, are not printed in Maynard; also that the applicants did not post their places of business. This discovery forces the reissuing and readvertising of all applications. The selectmen announced yesterday, however, that all licenses will be re-granted within two weeks.

# POLICE WILL STOP PLANS

## NOT TO ALLOW U. S. MARINE CORPS TO DISTRIBUTE CIRCULARS IN RECRUITING CAMPAIGN

BOSTON, April 28.—Members of the United States Marine Corps will not be allowed to distribute cards or circulars about Boston streets, as planned in their recruiting campaign. Superintendent Crowley asserted last night that such methods are a violation of the city ordinances.

When informed of the stand taken by the police, Major C. B. Hatch, in charge of recruiting in New England, said that the matter would be taken up in Washington and instructions sought as to other plans for conducting the campaign.

In discussing the case Superintendent Crowley said: "The distribution of cards or circulars by a United States soldier or sailor is as much a violation of the city ordinances as if a civilian committed the act. Section 41 of Chapter 49 of the revised ordinances specifically states that there shall be no distributing of handbills, cards or circulars of any kind in a public street."



"If a police officer had noticed the soldiers passing out the cards yesterday in newspaper row he certainly would have instructed him to quit. Whenever the distribution of such circulars is made from the doorway of a building the police have no jurisdiction, as that is private property. This method is generally followed by soldiers stationed at entrances to recruiting stations in Boston."

When informed of the police attitude last night, Major Hatch said: "Well, if that is the law then we will have to obey it. I shall take the matter up with Washington for something must be done. We are trying to recruit the corps up with intelligent men and took this means of interesting them."

"As I thought it was a very clever way to accomplish the purpose, and results have borne us out so far. We do not want loafers or shiftless men in the corps and won't have them. We have flag stations, one on Hanover street and the other on Portland. We will utilize these."

"As for the distributions on the Common, we had the mayor's permission for that. I shall take the matter up with the police authorities and the mayor to see if a way cannot be found to continue our campaign."

For her relief work in behalf of French war sufferers, Mrs. Edith Wharton, the novelist, has been presented with the French Legion of Honor medal.



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Shown in all the newest color effects and weaves that are accepted as correct by well dressed women.

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Fashioned by men far advanced in the tailoring art and with incomparably soft, alluring lines of youthful grace and beauty.

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Women's Lamb Skin Gloves with self and black embroidery in tan only, all sizes, slightly spotted; regular \$1.25 value. No exchanges. Marked.....59c

### WAIST SPECIALS

Colored Striped Georgette Crepe Waists, made with plaited frilly, regular value \$1.98. Special .....98c

White Wash Silk Waists; regular value \$1.98. Special .....98c

White and Colored Crepe de Chine Waists; regular value \$2.98. Special at \$1.98

White and Colored Wash Silk Waists; regular value \$2.98. Special at \$1.98

White and Colored Crepe de Chine Waists; regular value \$4.00. Special at \$2.98

White Georgette Crepe Waists; regular value \$5.00. Special at \$3.98

White and Colored Georgette Crepe Waists, made with ruffles; regular value \$6.00. Special at \$5.00

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### PETTICOAT SPECIALS

Black and Colored Petticoats, made of gloria with elastic band; regular value \$1.98. Special at.....98c

Colored Pompadour Petticoats, made with double ruffle. Special at.....\$1.98

Colored Silk Petticoats, made of the best quality taffeta in all the newest shades and styles. Special at \$3.98 and \$5.00

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SPECIALS

Corset Covers and Drawers, lace and ham-burg trimmed; regular value 39c. Special at .....25c

Envelope Chemise, Combinations and Petticoats; regular value 70c. Special at .....49c

Flesh Colored Gowns, Combinations and Envelope Chemise. Special at.....98c

Crepe de Chine Camisoles, made with lace insertion; regular value \$1.40. Special at.....98c

Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise; regular value \$2.98. Special at.....\$1.98

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# STRIKES AVERTED

## 58,500 Cotton Mill Employees Get Pay Raise—Record Wages

FALL RIVER, April 28.—A threatened strike of 58,500 cotton mill operatives, which was voted Wednesday night, was averted today by announcement of a 10 per cent wage increase by the Cotton Manufacturers Association.

The advance, which will be effective next Monday, will bring the scale of wages to the highest point in the history of the industry, according to mill authorities here.

The textile council, which comprises representatives of each of the principal crafts' unions, demanded a 10 per cent increase several weeks ago, but was told that the 5.5 per cent was the greatest advance which could be paid.

In rejecting this offer last night, the council voted to strike next Monday morning unless its full demands were complied with.

NEW BEDFORD, April 28.—The cotton manufacturers of this city yesterday voted a 10 per cent advance in wages to take effect May 1. Twenty-five thousand operatives will benefit by the increase.

The announcement clears a situation which the textile council announced recently, threatened to result in a general strike. The council had demanded that the manufacturers' association had refused.

With the operation of the new schedule, the textile workers of this city will be obtaining 15 per cent more wages than they received Jan. 1, an advance of five per cent, having been granted early in the year.

The latest raise will increase the annual payroll by \$1,500,000, it is estimated, and will mark the highest wages ever paid cotton mill operatives here.

PROVIDENCE, April 28.—Notices were posted at the factory of the National India Rubber Company in Bristol yesterday, stating that there is to be a general increase in wages for all of the employees, to go into effect Monday. The announcement was received with joy by the 3500 employees.

### THREE STRIKERS ARRESTED

They Are Charged With Intimidating Employees of Howe Scale Company at Rutland, Vt.

RUTLAND, Vt., April 28.—Two confederates between company officers and a strikers' committee failed yesterday

### Indoor Life Makes Fat

TRY OIL OF KOREIN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-stimulation, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air is said to weaken the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any persons who are satisfied in their own mind that they are too stout are advised to go to A. W. Dows & Co., or any good druggist and get a box of oil of korein capsules, and take one each meal and one just before retiring at night.

Even a few days treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, improved digestion and a return of the old energy. Loosely become lighter and the skin less flabby in appearance as superfluous fat disappears.

Oil of korein is inexpensive, cannot injure, and helps the digestion. Any person who wants to reduce 15 or 20 pounds is advised to give this treatment a trial.

# WAS GROUND TO PIECES

WILLIAM WICKETT, EAST BOSTON ENGINEER, KILLED BY HIS OWN ENGINE AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Me., April 28.—William Wickett, chief engineer on the beam trawler Long Island, owned by the Trident Fisheries company, Commonwealth pier, Boston, was yesterday

ground to pieces under the crank of the steamer's engine.

Wickett was 35 years of age and lived with his wife at 217 Webster street, East Boston. He was one of the best known marine engineers on the New England coast.

Wickett heard a peculiar thumping sound in the lower part of the engine and went to the engine to investigate. When he failed to return from the lower section of the engine, his assistant, Ernest Nichols, went below to inquire the cause, and found Wickett's body in the pit under the high pressure cylinder.

Wickett was dead. He died instantly, it is thought, as he made no outcry when the engine seized him in its grasp.

The steamer was about nine miles from the Cape Elizabeth lightship, and was bound for the western banks at the time of the accident.

Wickett was a native of Fall River. He had followed the sea since his boyhood and had worked in New England and the Great Banks waters as an engineer, pilot and captain, for all of which positions he held licenses.

He had been in the employ of the Trident Fisheries company since the fall. He left his home in East Boston at 1 o'clock on Monday afternoon last to join his vessel and anticipated a long cruise.

Wickett is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Clara Wilson of East Boston; and two sisters, Mrs. George Hackett of Weymouth and Miss Minnie E. Wickett of Southington, Conn. He had been married 20 years.


# YOU Are Bilious

That bad taste in the mouth, that food that does not digest, that nervousness, that dizziness, that depression, that yellowish skin—all tell the story of biliousness, a clogged system, and your immediate need of a powerful medicine to prevent a sick spell.

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are fundamental in their action, they go down to the root of the trouble, restoring liver, stomach and bowels to a healthy condition; giving quick relief from bilious attacks, indigestion, headache, heartburn, flatulency, depression of spirits—and affording absolute freedom from these disorders. Schenck's Mandrake Pills are tonic, therefore they form no habit.

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# OBREGON IS IN JUAREZ GERARD MEETS KAISER

## Carranza Officials Arrive to Confer With Generals Scott and Funston on Military Questions

EL PASO, Tex., April 28.—Gen. Alvaro Obregon, minister of war of the Mexican de facto government, is in Juarez today waiting to confer with Maj. Gen. Scott and Funston on the military questions that are involved in the American punitive expedition into Mexico.

Gen. Obregon, accompanied by Gen. Jacinto Trevino, military governor of Chihuahua, Gen. Samuel S. Santos, Governor Enriquez of Chihuahua and President Jose de Luz Herrera of Parral, reached Juarez on a special train this morning.

The third section of Gen. Obregon's train, heading Gen. Luis Gutierrez, military governor of Chihuahua state, departed south of Juarez and several passengers were reported injured. It is not known whether Gen. Gutierrez was hurt.

Gen. Obregon reached Juarez on the second section of the special.

### VILLA'S ADHERENTS

#### BEING PUSHED TO WALL

COLUMBUS, N. M., April 28.—Villa's scattered adherents are gradually being pushed to the wall, according to unofficial reports here today. These reports said that the remnants of the Villa army are being for cover, the morale broken, the men half starved and almost physical wrecks.

So far as is known here only two bands of any size remain under the Durango-Chihuahua border and another in the mountains east of Guerrero. The rest of the command that attacked Columbus is said to have scattered.

Of the two bands in the field, it is known that Col. Dord, with a force of cavalry, is close on the heels of the one in the Guerrero district which is said to total about 250 men under four chiefs.

It is with the second detachment that Villa, guarded by 100 of his followers, is supposed to be fleeing. Reports recently told of several clashes between a cavalry detachment under Major Robert L. Howze and this band, but nothing is known here as to whether a further pursuit is being made.

No men are in a dying condition today as a result of an accidental shooting with an army pistol. Roy Smith, 23 years old, of San Antonio, Tex., a truck driver, shot himself while demonstrating the "safety" of his pistol. The bullet went through his body and struck D. G. Gage, a laborer of Fleming, N. M., in the abdomen.

### GEN. FUNSTON TO VISIT

#### U. S. TROOP IN MEXICO

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 28.—Army officers here today said Gen. Funston will visit the field headquarters of the American forces in Mexico, following the conference in Juarez with Gen. Obregon.

Before leaving for El Paso, Gen. Funston expressed a desire to inspect the troops.

### OBREGON TO REQUEST

#### WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS

EL PASO, Tex., April 28.—The protective presence in northern Mexico of forty thousand Carranza troops will be the most potent argument brought to the border today by Gen. Alvaro Obregon, Mexican secretary of war, in his effort to convince Generals Hugh L. Scott and Frederick Funston that the American expeditionary forces should be withdrawn from Mexican soil.

Mexican officials here believe Gen. Obregon will assure the Americans that when the last United States troops cross to the north of the international boundary the de facto army will form behind them a line of patrols that will render future bandit raids on the border impossible.

Added to this, they say, he will repeat the declaration he made at Chihuahua City that the chiefs of the constitutionalist cause are in perfect harmony and amply able to control the small bands of bandits still at large.

There is no indication here as to what answer the Mexican minister of war will make to the apparent intention of the Washington government to maintain General Pershing's columns in Chihuahua until such time as Carranza's forces have proved their ability to wipe out the bandit menace.

It is pointed out, however, that it is unlikely he will take any action that would precipitate a break with the United States, since intervention is said to be the last eventually desired by the Carranza adherents.

On the other hand, it is expected Gen. Obregon will assert that the United States should hesitate about taking any steps, such as leaving the troops in Mexico, that would endanger the stability of the de facto government, which, Mexican officials contend, is slowly bringing order out of chaos in the devastated country.

Observers here of Mexican affairs expect concessions from both sides

which will result in a temporary patrol by Gen. Pershing's troops of at least a portion of the territory they now occupy pending an adequate campaign of Carranza troops against the scattered bandit groups of southern and western Chihuahua and Durango.

A military reception was arranged for Gen. Obregon by Gen. Gavira, commander of the Juarez garrison, on his arrival in Juarez today. The Mexican city was decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the visitors.

Pending arrival of Generals Scott and Funston, who will not reach El Paso until evening Gen. Obregon is to confer with Gen. Gavira and the Mexican consul in El Paso, Andreas Garcia.

Generals Scott and Funston will be met by Gen. George Bell, Jr., commander of the El Paso base and his staff.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

ADAMS—Died April 28, in Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. Mary A. Adams, aged 56 years and 9 months, at her home, 8 Army street. Funeral services will be held at the Edison cemetery chapel, 211 Broadway, at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healy.

CONNORS—Died in Westboro, Mass., April 26, Mrs. Gertrude E. Connors, of this city, aged 51 years, 2 months, 11 days. Funeral services will be held from the home of Mrs. Charles Chatman, 201 Smith street, this city, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

PAYNE—Died in this city, April 27, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Payne, 104 Agawam street, aged 51 years, 2 months, 2 days. Funeral services will be held from the home of his parents, 104 Agawam street, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

HARRINGTON—The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Harrington will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 108 Chapel street, at 2.45 a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Charles H. McPhilly.

McPHILLY—The funeral of Miss Margaret McPhilly will take place Saturday morning from her home, 38 Union street, at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Peter's cemetery in charge of Undertakers N. H. McDonough & Sons.

NEWTON—Died in this city, April 26, at her home, 344 Worthen street, Mrs. Charlotte Newton, aged 62 years. Funeral services will be held from her home, 344 Worthen street, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake. John L. Wells will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 29 Beaver street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

### MILITANTS ARE LOYAL

#### ALL OFFERED SERVICES WHEN WAR BROKE OUT

BOSTON, April 25.—"When the war in Europe was declared, the most militant of the militant suffragists, and I count myself the most extreme of them, offered their services to Great Britain," said Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst in Ford Hall yesterday. Mrs. Pankhurst is no longer militant. She is pleading for financial help to save from extinction the heroic little Serbian nation.

She told very simply, but with dramatic power and flashes of wit, the events that led to a truce between the government and the militant suffragists, that transformed social revolutionists into a band of patriots organized for service for the preservation of their nation.

Her story began with her arrest in England on a returning from this country, her release after a hunger strike and her determination to talk with her daughter in France, when she thought war was impossible.

### French Accept Their Duty

"It was difficult for any one to leave the country," she said, "and I shall not tell you how I did it, but I crossed the channel and was in France during the mobilization. It was so quiet and calm, the realization and acceptance of duty. The men joined the ranks of the soldiers, the women assumed the responsibilities of the men. Bulletins were issued and calmly obeyed; martial law prevailed.

"It was all very well, in times of peace, to want to clean up and reform things, but no big cause like woman

## Confer on U-Boat Issue—Von Capelle Called in—Indications Germany Will Try to Meet Demands

BERLIN, April 28. (By wireless to Sayville)—Vice Admiral Eduard von Capelle, who succeeded Admiral von Tirpitz last month as minister of the navy, left Berlin on Wednesday to confer with Emperor William at the German army headquarters.

A military reception was arranged for Gen. Obregon by Gen. Gavira, commander of the Juarez garrison, on his arrival in Juarez today. The Mexican city was decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the visitors.

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Generals Scott and Funston will be met by Gen. George Bell, Jr., commander of the El Paso base and his staff.

Count von Bernstorff has not been advised whether the suggestions he recently made to his government at the invitation of the foreign office have been adopted.

A visit of Ambassador Gerard to Emperor William was a topic of broad interest in official and diplomatic quarters today. German embassy officials believed the emperor invited Mr. Gerard to confer with him for the purpose of elaborating for the present President Wilson, his position and the disposition of the German government in further explanation of certain phases of the forthcoming German reply to the American note. It would be unusual for the emperor to conduct negotiations directly with the diplomatic representative of a foreign government.

### GERARD CONFERS WITH KAISER

BERLIN, April 27, 9 p. m., via London, April 28, 3:05 a. m.—James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, and Joseph C. Grew, secretary of the American embassy, left Berlin tonight for German army headquarters for an audience with Emperor William.

Although no information has been given out regarding the purpose of Ambassador Gerard's journey, it is evident that Emperor William wished a thorough personal talk with him in order to obtain a clear view of the American position on the submarine issue. The ambassador and Secretary Grew traveled in a special saloon car attached to a regular train placed at their

care of itself. I frequently hear the remark: 'The one thing that shines out in this terrible war is the work of women. After the war they will get the vote.'

"I have seen in the hospitals soldiers of all nations and I want to say that war does not brutalize them. They are only overgrown children. The stories of war babies is greatly exaggerated."

Mrs. Pankhurst closed with an earnest appeal for the fatherless children. In her own home she is making practical application of her ideas in caring for a number of homeless and fatherless babies.

### TO PROBE WOMAN'S DEATH

Medical Examiner Will Investigate Circumstances Under Which Mrs. Marvin Was Killed by Gas

BOSTON, April 28.—Mrs. Daniel R. Marvin was found dead in bed yesterday morning by her husband at her

disposal. Mr. Gerard was attended by the embassy's chasseur. The train will reach its destination at 7 p. m. tomorrow (Friday) and Ambassador Gerard expects to return on Saturday.

The invitation to visit the German headquarters was brought to the ambassador personally by Foreign Minister von Jagow.

The invitation is regarded in financial circles as a good omen. Nevertheless experienced observers consider the situation still very serious and believe that the more fact of the ambassador's meeting with the emperor and his advisers is of less importance than what was done at the conference at German headquarters. The ultimate decision at Washington is held to be quite incalculable until it is known how far Germany meets American wishes.

The news that Ambassador Gerard was going to the headquarters was already known at noon today, but the censors, for some mysterious reason refused to allow cablegrams to be sent announcing that fact until tonight; just as they had refused to pass despatches with news that the American note had been handed to the foreign office, until the next day.

### BERLIN MARKET IMPROVING

BERLIN, April 27.—By wireless to The Associated Press, via Tuckerton, N. J., April 28, (delayed)—The Berlin stock exchange, the principal available index to popular expectation on the German-American situation, continues to improve its tone. The market was characterized in today's reports as virtually normal again. The belief of the operators and the public apparently is based more on surmise than on knowledge of the extent of the concessions to be made. No further word has been received from the American state department.

The German newspapers generally seem to have exhausted the topic of American relations pending a new development. The Tages Zeitung is the only Berlin journal to return to the attack, it containing a vigorous polemic against the granting of concessions to the United States.

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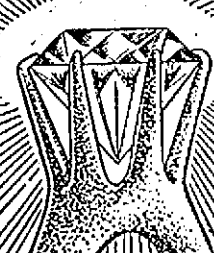
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# MAHAN A STAR

Famous Harvard Football Player May Sign With Braves

NEW YORK, April 28.—Eddie Mahan, Harvard's star pitcher, will join either the Yankees or the Braves after he is graduated next June. It has been known for some time that Mahan has an offer from Percy Haughton, his football coach and president of the Boston National League club, to become a member of the Stallings manage, but he postponed yesterday that Messrs. Ruppert and Huston had also entered the bidding for the hurler.

Sentiment will very likely play a minor role in Mahan's choice of a club, as he has about decided to try his hand at big league baseball, and not accept the best terms, he made good. Mahan would be as big a hit right here as he would be in Boston. There is no doubt that it would pay some big league club to take a chance on Eddie, for while performances in varsity ranks sometimes counts for little in professional baseball, Mahan last season had all the earmarks of a successful finger.

The Yankees are also after Billy Bales, the Harvard pitcher, who some time ago, on account of scholastic difficulties, was advised to seek pastures new. They say Bales is even better than Mahan, but Billy has not yet decided whether or not the professional diamond is the proper place for him.

Signing a college star is a big gamble for a major league club. The varsity boy will rarely hearken to the call of the majors unless he gets an ironclad contract at a good figure and whereby he cannot be shifted unless he consents. Schultz, now with Providence, had such a document for three years with the Phillies, and as a National leaguer he proved a bloomer. One of the few instances of a collegian consenting to sign for practically a mere pittance was that of Lewis Malone of Mount St. Joseph's college, who worked for Connie Mack last season for \$100 a month.

There have been many college pitching stars in the majors, and only a few have made good. Mathewson, from Bucknell; Coombs, from Colby; Falkenberg, from Illinois; Coakley, from Holy Cross; Bender, from Carlisle and

Dickinson; Plank, from Gettysburg, and Shore, from Guilford, are some of those who have proved their worth. Crowell of Brown appears to be doing well with the Athletics.

Walter Clarkson, in his day at Harvard even a greater figure than Mahan at present, signed at a big figure with the Yankees in 1904. Walter found that fooling big league ballmen was far different from fooling collegians, and he was traded to Cleveland. He soon quit the diamond.

## AL SHUBERT THE WINNER

BEATS KID GOODMAN IN 12 ROUNDS AT LAWRENCE-NEW BEDFORD BOXER KEPT HESTLING

LAWRENCE, April 28.—Al Shubert of New Bedford won from Kid Goodman of New York in the 12 round main bout at the Unity Club here tonight. Goodman substituted for Jimmy Murray and put up a very creditable fight. He made Shubert step at his fastest to win. The little hearted from New Bedford fought his usual rushing, trying fight and had a good lead at the finish.

Young Thomas of this city won from Young Riley of Albany, N. Y., in the eighth round, and Billy Burke stopped Young Weinert in five rounds.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

Lowell's formidable catching staff is causing comment all over the circuit.

The Lowell team is now down to 16 players, including the manager. At least 15 players will be carried along for some time to come.

The Lowell baseball club was a busy place yesterday noon. Suit cases were packed up high and travelling suits were being distributed to the players.

A Lynn paper says that Manager Lord is trying hard to sell or trade Spikes. It doesn't look as though he were trying very hard.

Powers, the first baseman who received a tryout with Lowell, has caught on with the Hartford team.

Billy Hamilton of the Worcester team is looking for a couple of first class pitchers.

Elmer Steele, who went to the Red Sox for a while from the Lynn club, is covering first base for Bridgeport.

Martin Walsh, a brother of big Ed

Walsh, it pitching for Bridgeport and may oppose Lowell today or tomorrow.

Manager Heinle Wagner of the Hartford team says he will play shortstop all season.

Roland Barrows spent yesterday forenoon renewing acquaintances about the city.

No one regretted to see Guy Maxwell, the clever young shortstop from Portland, receive his notice to depart any more than Manager Lord himself. It was Harry who brought Maxwell to this city. "The youngster came up in expectations and played fine while in Lowell," said Manager Lord, "but with the wealth of material on hand we could not keep him."

Last night must have been a big night for baseball men in Springfield. The 14 members of the Lowell team stopped at a hotel in that city on their way from Manchester to Bridgeport. The Lawrence team, which played yesterday at Nashua, also made Springfield its stopping place on the way to New Haven, where it played today. And then there was a good representation of Springfield talent on hand waiting for the game today.

With "Red" Torphy, Joe Kilhullen, Joe Briggs, Joe Kane, "Hank" Horsey, and several other former Manchester players in the lineup, Lowell was quite an attraction in the Queen City yesterday. Fast Day was observed in New Hampshire and a holiday crowd was in attendance.

Blind baseball fans to the number of 40 will be guests at the Red Sox-Chicago game tomorrow. Each guest will be accompanied by a guide to explain the plays.

Arthur Mayholm, the veteran who twirled for Lowell in the old New England league, has been canned by Manager Duffy of Portland. A few years ago, Mayholm was capable of pitching excellent ball but during the past couple of years he has been going back. This year, however, he thought himself again in form but failed to show enough to satisfy Duffy.

In order to get down to the 21-player limit Stallings may have to let his young catchers out on optional agreements. If he carries eight pitchers, five outfielders and six infielders this course will be necessary.

Mgr. Billy Hamilton of the Worcester team says that Gus Gardella will remain the property of the Worcester club. The Eastern league has refused to take a hand in the controversy and Rec. Farrell also refused to give a decision. Hugh Duffy thought that New London should return Whitehouse, to Portland and Gene McCann thinks Lowell should send Paddy Green back to New London but they are willing, evidently, to let players remain where they are and Hamilton is following along the same lines—keeping Gardella.

Already some of the Eastern league magnates are raising long and mournful howls about the climbing New London salary list, but Gene McCann continues merrily on his way adding talent. His latest acquisition is Bunnys Hearne, the southpaw who was with the Pittsburgh Federals when the outlaw circuit abandoned its war against organized baseball. Hearne was declining with the Albany club of the New York state league, but Manager Witte concluded he didn't want to carry along three southpaws, including himself. Furthermore, he didn't like the looks of Hearne's salary demands. New London now has two star southpaws, Martin and Hearne.—Springfield Union.

Pieper's sharpened axe which has been hanging suspended by a single thread over the heads of candidates for the Lynn club, fell yesterday, and lopped off the heads of four recruits. Those who felt the decapitation were Peterson, Ross, and Callahan, pitchers, and Laskey, a catcher. Pieper told them that there wasn't any use of staying around any more because he had plenty of pitching and catching material, all of which was experienced to league ball, and that the chances of making a head and tail of him at 32 degrees Fahrenheit. All departed, bag and baggage, last night, and doubtless will try to catch on with some other clubs in the circuit.

## GAMES TOMORROW

American League  
Boston at Washington  
New York at Philadelphia  
Cleveland at Detroit  
Chicago at St. Louis

National League  
Philadelphia at Boston  
St. Louis at Chicago  
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh

Eastern League  
Lowell at Bridgeport  
Portland at New Bedford  
Lawrence at New Haven  
Worcester at New London  
Lynn at Springfield

## LEAGUE STANDING

American League	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915
Boston	8	4	.667	.465
New York	7	5	.583	.467
Detroit	7	5	.583	.750
Cleveland	6	6	.500	.537
Washington	5	6	.455	.435
Chicago	4	7	.364	.457
St. Louis	4	6	.400	.253
Philadelphia	3	8	.273	.383
National League	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915
Philadelphia	6	4	.600	.846
Chicago	5	4	.556	.538
Boston	5	3	.625	.335
St. Louis	5	6	.455	.487
Cincinnati	4	6	.400	.440
Pittsburgh	4	7	.364	.355
New York	1	7	.125	.750

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League  
Boston-New York—wet grounds.  
Detroit 7, St. Louis 2.  
Chicago 5, Cleveland 2.  
Washington 4, Philadelphia 2.

National League  
Boston 3, New York 2.  
Chicago 3, St. Louis 5.  
Other games postponed, wet grounds.

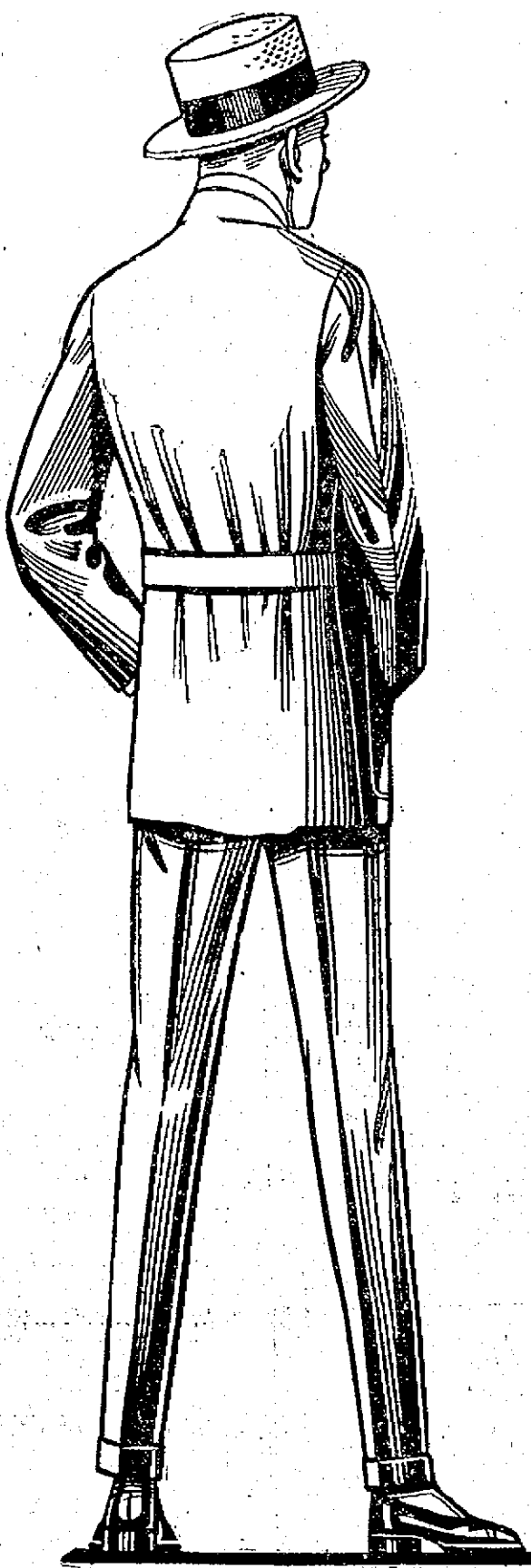
## ANSMITH MAY BE SOLD

ONE TIME LOWELL CATCHER MAY BE PURCHASED BY THE BOSTON BRAVES

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Unless unforeseen obstacles prevent, Catcher Eddie Ansmith, who has been with the Nationals during the past six years, will be sold within a few days to the Boston Braves.

There was a deal on last winter whereby Ansmith was to go to the Boston club, but it was called off when Griffith informed George Stallings that the catcher was in poor physical shape and having trouble with his eyes. Ansmith demonstrated during Monday's game, when he handled Johnson's delivery perfectly, that he is entirely recovered from his recent ailment, and

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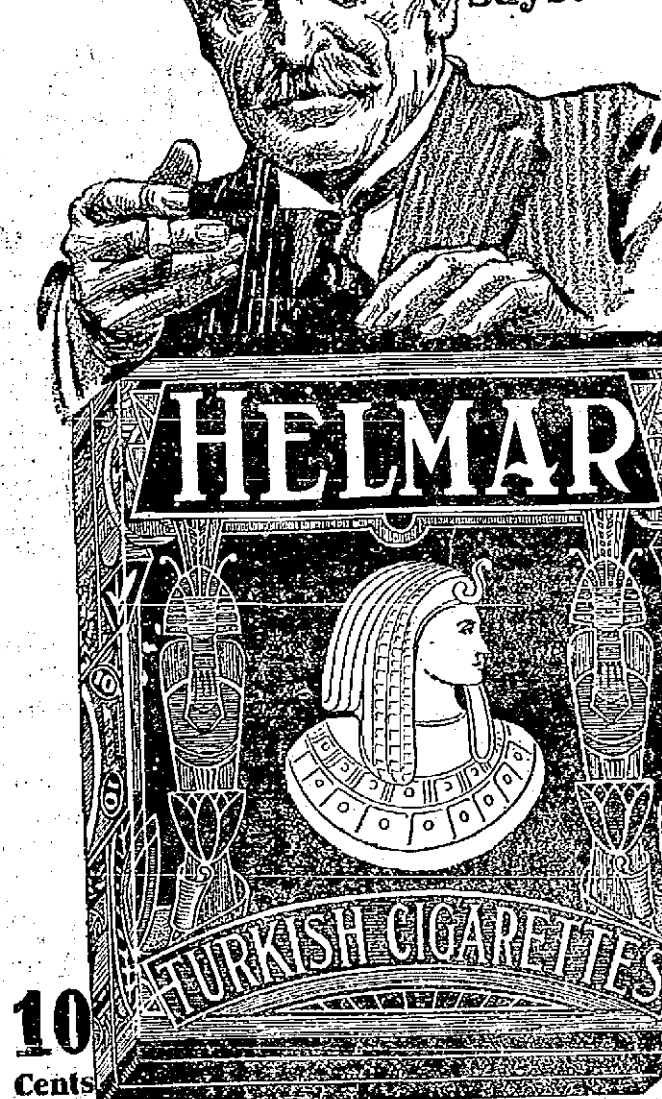
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therefore, able to go out and give a good account of himself.

Ansmith himself in anxious to get away from Washington. Not because he has been badly treated here by the management or fans, but because he has never been able to do himself justice when the hot weather strikes the Capital.

That Ansmith is slated for the Boston Braves the writer has only the catcher's word for it.

"When I signed a contract with Mr. Griffith for the season it was with the understanding that I was to be sold or traded before the hot weather set in. I know the Boston Braves will take me and feel confident that I will go to that club," Ansmith told the writer.

It is believed that when Griffith sent Ansmith behind the bat Monday whether or not Eddie had fully recovered from his recent ailment. Present at the game was Mike Kohno, the Boston scout who is here, it is believed, to close the deal whereby the Braves will get that penny backstop, and Kohno, if he told the truth, must have been as good as ever, and able to catch every day in the week, if necessary.

Griff will hardly carry four catchers this season, which means that one of his quartet will go by the board, and as Ansmith has always been sick or as Ansmith is incapacitated during the hot weather, it's a cinch that Eddie will be the receiver to be cut loose.

There is just one draw back to the whole proposition, the New York Yankees may refuse to waive on Ansmith, although this club was willing to let

him go when Griffith sent out waiver notices last winter.

Providing the New Yorks do not waive Ansmith it is believed that the deal whereby the catcher will go to the Boston Braves will be consummated within the next few days. New York's refusal to waive means that he will be carried by the local club this season.

## ATHLETIC CARNIVAL

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—The University of Pennsylvania's two day relay and athletic carnival opened on Franklin field today with entries from 130 colleges and numerous preparatory schools from all section of the country. Twenty-six events were on today's program, including the pentathlon, the college championship sprint and distance medley relay race, the 56-pound weight throw for distance, running hop, step and jump, hammer throw, and quarter mile hurdle race.

Howard Berry, the Pennsylvania all-around athlete, who was the pentathlon last year, was in good condition to defend his title. His competitors included Burke of Wisconsin, Worthington of Dartmouth, Brighton of Pennsylvania, and several others.

In the sprint medley the first and second men ran 220 yards, the third 440 yards, and the last man, 440 yards. The first man was a Pennsylvanian, the second 550 yards, the third 440 yards, and the last 440 yards.

In the special field events New England entrants were: Throwing the 36-pound weight, Roberts, Harvard; throwing the hammer, Roberts, Harvard, and Brown, Yale.

## WITH THE PADDED MITTS

Willie Beecher and Johnny Harvey, both of New York will be the principals in the main bout at Boston tonight. Both are rated highly in the fistie circles and should furnish a hard, rugged exhibition if their past performance can be taken as a criterion. Harvey showed once before in Boston with Charley White and gave the hard hitter from Chicago all that he could attend to in the last four rounds and White barely breezed in a winner. Beecher has fought every pugilist of note in the lightweight class and has held Johnny Dundee even in a 20-round contest.

The most promising youngster around New England at the present time is Johnny Donovan, the ex-amateur champion, who hails from South Boston. Donovan has boxed 12 times as a professional and won all starts in heavy fashion, beating some of the best boys in this section. Johnny possesses a rare left hand which he shoots over as fast as a rifle bullet while he can

also hand out a stiff wallop with his right. Donovan is a tall, rangy kid, only 19 years old and should go high in the ring game if he continues to improve.

Jack Dillon of Indianapolis has certainly got the Indian sign on Battling Levinsky for he can whip the New Yorker every time they get together. They met a few days ago out in Kansas City and Jack received the award after 15 rounds of sensational battling. This makes the sixth time Dillon has beaten the battler, although the other five were newspaper decisions.

Bedford is turning out many promising youngsters in the mitt game who shape up as likely candidates for higher honors in the future. Al Shubert of course has already mounted to the top of the heap, while Frankie Britt is also climbing high and is bounding Shubert for a match. Young Cosmos who whipped Jeff Gallant at Boston this week made a fine showing and with a little more experience will be heard from later, and last but not least, Young Dennis is the boy king down in the Whaling city and his list of victories just bristles with knockouts. Demers has stopped Teddy Murphy, who boxed in this city a few weeks ago and he defeated Kid Thomas of Lawrence last Wednesday. All of the above boys hail from New Bedford and strange stock.

to say all weigh in the neighborhood of 116 to 122 pounds.

Mikey Brown of Malden who defeated Gardner Brooks recently, will get a chance to show whether or not he is of champion calibre, in Boston against Johnny Ertle, in the near future. If present plans go through, Brown gave Frankie Brown, the New York bantam, a setback a few weeks ago at the Hub club, but the referee called it a draw after Mike had beaten his nameless easily. A large crowd will surely turn out to witness an Ertle-Brown match for both are well known throughout the country as leaders in their class.

Among the large crowd that attended the recent Willard-Moran fight were several women.

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## TELEPHONE MAGIC

It was fitting that one of the first demonstrations of transcontinental telephony should have taken place in Lowell, a pioneer city in the development of the art of transmitting the human voice by wire. Forty years ago a feat then considered wonderful was the transmission of a message from Lowell to Boston.

When in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," Shakespeare's Puck promised to put a girdle around the earth in 40 minutes, the audience of the time must have felt that such a boast was the highest extravagance of fancy. On Wednesday evening a large group of sober, matter-of-fact Lowell business men saw a girdle being thrown 3400 miles across this continent in the fraction of a second, or at the rate of 55,000 miles per second. Thus does modern scientific invention shame the wildest dream of the romancers.

It is not a long way back to the battle of Concord and Lexington, and the story of Paul Revere's ride is familiar to every schoolboy. It was a wonderful feat to speed on horseback through the country arousing the farmers along the way, but what was it compared to the achievement of Wednesday evening? To sit in a banquet hall, to be connected with San Francisco over three thousand miles away, to talk with men who were once familiar figures in our local life, to hear the surf beat on the rocks along the Golden Gate—it is all more wonderful than a fairy tale. It is modern magic that is more thrilling and inspiring than the necromancy of the past ages.

Yet, the romantic and sensational side of the exploit is not the side to contemplate. What is its influence on the America of the future, industrially, politically, in a national sense? The charge is often made that there are too many states in the Union for a stable system of government, but what of that when we can talk with San Francisco in a few minutes? Surely when the human voice can travel over mountain and valley and prairie, across wastes, rivers, lakes and populous cities, when out of our hundred millions two can talk over a distance of 3000 miles, the possibilities are grand and vast.

In his speech at the local celebration, Vice President Hall graphically outlined the marvelous growth of the Bell telephone system and sketched its future possibilities. Like many other great inventions its practical application to the problems of daily life has progressed beyond the state of surprises and we accept the telephone as though it always was and as though there is nothing wonderful about it. Yet, men like T. N. Vail and John J. Carly are devoting their unique initiative and great talents to the betterment of the telephone systems and are putting at the service of the people a system of which our grandfathers could not have dreamed. It is surely a wonderful age we live in when men who remember the first crude telephone as used in business can stand on the opposite shores of the United States and exchange greetings over a wire. The wireless telephone also is now being perfected, and marvelous as have been the results of invention thus far, still greater wonders are in store for the men of the future. The time is doubtless not far off when it will be quite possible to transmit the human voice across the widest ocean and even around the earth in the fraction of a second.

The board of trade is to be thanked for providing this exhibition of telephone magic for the Lowell public and the local telephone management and higher officers of the company share liberally in the commendation. Those who were privileged in taking part will never forget their participation in an event that possibly represents more good to the world at large than any other invention of modern times.

## TELEPHONE MAGIC

Many experiments were tried, but without success. Among other things the tax department was given a right to examine under oath any person having a knowledge of the estate of a deceased person, and there were bills in the legislature providing for the compulsory return of personal property under heavy penalties and compelling companies to make a return to the state of their bond holders. None of these plans were effective, and as a result a movement for widespread taxation reform was started, the results of which may be enacted into law in the near future.

One of the optimistic predictions that will arouse favorable comment because of its source was the statement of a Boston expert who was commissioned to study the situation by the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers. Speaking in Boston a few days ago he announced to a representative body of textile manufacturers that the problem of insuring a regular supply of dyes and chemicals for the American textile trade is a near-solution. His view of the greatest need was summed up as "the erection of a comprehensive coal tar industry in this country, insuring the country forever against another such calamitous happening as the present."

That the war has led to a great body of new American inventions is proved by the announcements from varying sections, but whether these individual achievements will develop into one large industry remains to be seen. The admission of German superiority in invention and in method of commercializing invention has been made so often that there is a danger of our cutting back and letting things take their course in the old way. Yet, if the end of the war does not mark the end of our absolute dependence on any foreign power for supplies vital to American industry, America will have failed to grasp a great opportunity. That we have the brains and the power of invention is proved by results at our own Textile school, to go no farther, but something else is needed before we can hope to rival Germany as a manufacturer of dyes and chemicals.

The two essentials are government co-operation and protection of the infant industry until such time as it has gone beyond the experimental stage.

## COLLECT THE TAXES

Having received some pointed criticisms from Chief Gettemy of the state bureau of statistics from time to time, Lowell cannot but feel consoled to hear that he has just given Lawrence a few sharp pointers. His attention was called particularly to the failure of the Lawrence city government to collect property and poll taxes and he said some things that apply with equal force to almost all cities, Lowell included. Among other pertinent things Mr. Gettemy said "no accounting system however effectively planned and carried out and however informative it may be, will automatically collect revenue, enforce laws and ordinances and administer the finances of a city." The Gettemy report is supplemented by a report from E. H. Fenton, chief accountant, who says that unless Lawrence collects the hundreds of thousands of unpaid taxes, the deficit in the revenue loans must be raised by an additional tax.

If private firms were as lax about the collection of bills as is the average municipality, business would be in a sorry state. The demand is usually couched in sharp language and the penalties are printed in red ink, but there are contemptuous individuals who boast that they have not paid their poll tax for years and that they don't intend to. In this city efforts have been made to get the taxes in more promptly for the past few years and this is as it should be. The penalties threatened but never carried out only lead to constant infringements of the law and increased disorganization.

It is a little rough on the citizen who is always prompt in the payment of his taxes to read that a large percentage of the public goes free, and an impartial but strict system that allows of no privileges would be welcomed by all classes.

## LIFE-SAVING APPARATUS

The purchase of 60 sets of life-saving apparatus to be placed along local canals and waterways as protection against drowning accidents ought to ensure a decrease in the number of such occurrences, but past experience is not reassuring. When, once before, the city provided such apparatus, it rapidly disappeared, owing to the thoughtless depredations of unruly youths who cared little for the sentiment involved. To be sure prevention of accident is an essential part of municipal administration, and this apparatus should be where it might be easily reached when needed. Only a short while ago we had a sad drowning that could have been prevented if ropes, lifebuoys and ladders were handy but those who did their best to come to the rescue were handicapped until it was too late. With 60 sets of apparatus under practical police supervision, the canals will be far safer, but the procuring of the ropes and buoys is preliminary. To see that they are protected and respected by the public is the main thing.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Soundkeeper Peabody is thinking seriously of petitioning the municipal council for an automobile.

The unanimity with which the press of the county is backing up President Wilson must convince T. R. that journalism has gone to the dogs.

The Colonel as a Critic  
"Now, then," snapped the colonel, gritting his teeth savagely, "have you got down all my statement on Wilson's note yesterday?"  
Secretary—Yes, sir.  
"Did you put down that part about our shameful surrender of American rights?"  
Secretary—Yes, sir.  
"And the weak, meaningless phrases of the note?"  
Secretary—I have that, sir.  
"And the part about the flabby, vacillating policy that dictated it? Bull! Now, bring me a copy of the note and let's see what the man said."

Worse Than a Baby  
He entered a lunch room with his usual brisk manner and climbing on a stool gave an order for his mid-afternoon lunch. The lunchman started preparing it, and the Oracle, as he is wont, began to talk. Finally as the lunchman reached the point where he delivered the dish on the counter in front of his customer the Oracle leaned over and shielding his mouth with one hand said in an audible whisper:  
"Congratulations, I've got an addition to my family!"  
"Law sakes!" ejaculated the lunchman in unfeigned astonishment, and he stared at the Oracle. The lunchman had been bitten before.  
"That true?" he finally asked.  
"Sure thing."  
"What is it, boy or girl?"  
"Son-in-law," responded the Oracle.  
—Brookline Enterprise.

Brought His Check  
A man went into a restaurant with two young ladies.  
"A glass of beer," he said. "Only one—my friends aren't thirsty—and, say, waiter, could you oblige us with three plates?"  
The plates were duly brought and the man took three sandwiches from his pocket, and the little party proceeded to enjoy themselves.  
But the outraged waiter hurried off and told the manager. "The manager rushed up to the unworthy guest and said:  
"Look here, you, what do you take us for? Ordering one beer and then borrowing our plates to eat your sandwiches from? Why, I never—"  
"Who are you?" said the guest, taking a sip of beer and a nibble of sandwich.  
"Who am I? I'm the manager."  
The guest frowned.  
"O, are you?" he said fiercely. "Then you're just the fellow I'm looking for. Why the dickens isn't the orchestra playing?"—Washington Star.

Very Bad Scare  
A southern man tells of a darky named Theophilus Baxter, known as "the champion banjo player of Alabama."  
Wishing to afford a northern friend an example of real darky music, a Mobile woman went to Baxter's house with a view to enlisting his services at a musical function. She found his wife in bed.  
"Very sorry, missy," said Baxter's spouse, "but Theophilus he ain't playin' de banjo any more. He jest puts in all his time fishin' now."  
"What led him to give up his playin'?" asked the disappointed caller.  
"Tis he got religion!"  
"Tis missy, he ain't got religion, but he's done got skered!"  
"Skared? Of what?"  
"Of dat minstrel show, honey. De boss learns dat my ole man kin play, Railway company of England are an' he offers him a stiddy job doin' it."

## SHARPENING OLD SAWS

Douglas Malloch in Judge, resharpened some old saws thusly:  
If at first you don't succeed, why try again?  
Never put off until tomorrow what you can't do today.  
Be sure you are right, and then go ahead and find out you're wrong.  
Familiar hilarity breeds contempt.  
A man is known by the company that keeps him.  
Many a true word is spoken in gestures.  
Rome was not built in a day of municipal contracts.  
It is easier for the eye of a camel to pass through a needle than for the kingdom of heaven to enter a rich man.  
Whoever a man soweth that shall he also reap.  
Owe no man anything.  
In the day of prosperity be joyful but in the day of adversity considerable more.  
It is more blessed to give than to receive advice.

The Old Umbrella  
Once I was my own master's pride,  
And I walked by fashion's side  
Tall and trim,  
'Twas a question if it is said,  
Who could make the biggest spread—  
Me or him.

But, he made a hurried call,  
And he left me in a hall,  
One fine day,  
Where I hung upon a hook,  
Till a strange hand grabbed and took  
Me away.

What a weary life since then,  
With the weather I have been  
On the go.  
I have stood in many a hall,  
Friend in need, and free to all,  
High and low.

I have sheltered many a miss,  
As she took her parting kiss  
At the gate,  
And have walked the street all night,  
While benighted folk sought light  
To seek his fate.

I must have made him dry;  
For he'd often stop and try  
Just a sup,  
And I cursed him with a swear,  
'Cause I knew he didn't dare  
Shut me up.

Now I'm getting gray with years,  
For my life has been all tears  
And a frown,  
Like the wreck at whose command  
Here against the wall I stand,  
Broken down.

Yet, sometimes I do recall—  
Hark! the patterning raindrops fall  
With a sigh,  
There's his footstep coping slow,  
And I guess I'll have to go,  
So good-by!

—Sidney Ewen Wadman in the Boston Transcript.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

And Appearances  
Clean up for health and happiness.  
—Nashua Telegraph.

And Vice Versa  
The best thing the government can do with business is to let it alone.  
—Lowell Sun.

Moody Rule  
The rule of rosin habit in political matters appears to run in the Bryan family.—Fall River Globe.

Very Mild Brother  
Put in its very mildest terms, our troops occupy a very strange position in Mexico today.—Lynn News.

As We Said Before:  
The concession should be complete and final. There already has been too much temporizing.—Fall River Herald.

Who Is This?  
Since he got back into congress he hasn't been sensational enough to furnish inspiration for the cartoonists.  
—Haverhill Gazette.

Prepared:  
It is the part of wisdom for the United States to prepare and quickly, for whatever may be brewing for us in the devil's broth.—Brookline Enterprise.

Installation Concessions!  
Germany is said to be ready to make concessions to the United States. She has been doing this for months, but in such small doses as to be harmless.—Burlington Free Press.

His Answer  
Matt Hale said that if the pledged delegates were beaten it would be no notice to the country that Massachusetts doesn't want Roosevelt. The people have spoken, Matt.—Berkshire Eagle.

The Modern Job  
We have been mightily interested in preparedness as women see the self-defense leagues, public drills, practice with firearms, and the other martial enthusiasms of women which are sweeping across country.—Worcester Post.

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The Pawtucketville Improvement Asso. Plans Future Activities

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The train held the rails. The passenger cars were drawn over to another track, and at the end of an hour and 40 minutes, continued toward New York city, drawn by another engine, obtained from New London, which is three miles away.

The "Gilt Edge Express" left Boston at 8:34 p. m., and was due in New York at 11:15.

WIFE OF SHIP COMPANY'S HEAD CHARGES CARELESSNESS IN SUIT FOR \$750,000 DAMAGES

NEW YORK, April 28.—Mrs. May Davies Hopkins, widow of Albert Lloyd Hopkins, president of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock company, who lost his life in the Lusitania disaster, began suit in the admiralty branch of the United States district court yesterday to recover \$750,000 from the Cunard Steamship company for the loss of her husband. The suit is believed to be the forerunner of similar actions, which also seek to hold the steamship company responsible for loss of life and property caused by the torpedoing of the Lusitania. In her complaint, Mrs. Hopkins asserts that the navigators of the Lusitania not only failed to take the proper precautions to protect the ship from submarines and mines, but actually invited disaster and laid the ship open to attack by going at half speed, that the vessel was "an easy prey to hostile vessels."

THE OLD LADIES HOME

THE TRUSTEES HAVE ISSUED AN APPEAL TO THE PUBLIC FOR FINANCIAL AID

The trustees of the Old Ladies home have sent out the following appeal to the public. Contributions may be sent to Mr. J. E. Gibson, treasurer, in care of Lowell Institution for Savings:

The Old Ladies home, one of the most useful charities in Lowell, was organized in 1867, and during all the succeeding years has rarely called upon the public for help. It is, apparently the general opinion that the institution is rich and sufficiently endowed to meet all expenses; but such is not the case, as a glance at the following figures will show:

The average yearly expense of operating during the past five years is over.....	\$3000.00
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Leaving a balance to be supplied from other sources of about.....	\$4000.00

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The item of admission fees is variable and shows a range during the past six years from \$200 to \$1600 according to the number of vacancies that were filled.

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## LOCKOUT IN 409 SHOPS

30,000 WORKERS WILL BE FORCED OUT—THREAT TO CALL OUT 35,000 OTHERS

NEW YORK, April 28.—Thirty thousand workers in women's cloak, suit and skirt manufacturers here received notice today of the beginning of a lockout affecting 409 shops controlled by members of the Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Protective Association. In those shops where Saturday is observed as the Sabbath, the lockout takes effect tonight. In the other shops it goes into effect Saturday night. In retaliation, the president of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union and officers of the eleven cloak makers' unions announced that they will declare a strike to become effective next Tuesday, involving not only the thirty thousand affected by the lockout, but also about 35,000 employees in 1800 shops not controlled by the manufacturers' association.

This dispute arises over the question of maintaining a "closed" or "open" shop.

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## "GILT EDGE" IN WRECK

EXPRESS IN ANOTHER ACCIDENT—SHAFT ON ENGINE BROKE—NO ONE INJURED

WATERFORD, Conn., April 28.—The "Gilt Edge Express," which figured in an accident costing several lives at Bradford, R. I., last week, was disabled here last night when the driving shaft broke short off, wrecking the right side of the engine.

There was no injury to passengers or other damage to train or track, and

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## CLEAN-UP WEEK

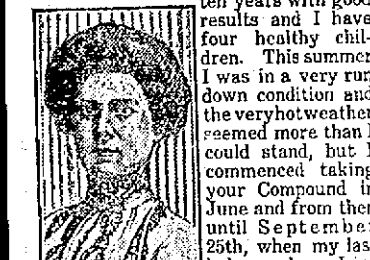
Daily Routine of Ash  
Teams for the Week  
of May 1

In order to facilitate matters during clean-up week the mayor instructed the board of health to prepare a daily routine of ash teams for the week and the board has submitted the following schedule:

**Monday**  
Central street from Tower's corner to Charles street.  
Charles street to Gorham street.  
Gorham street from Tower's corner to Davis square.  
Middlesex street from Tower's corner to Broad street.  
Livingston avenue.  
Windsor street.  
Tyler Park to Wood street.  
All intervening streets between Princeton and Middlesex streets to Wood street.  
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Suffolk street.  
Merrimack street, up to Cabot street.  
Moody street, up to Cabot street.  
Middle street.  
All intervening streets between Cabot street to Merrimack square.

**Tuesday**  
Little Canada.  
Hurd street.  
Central street, from Canal bridge to Merrimack street.  
All of Centralville.

**Wednesday**  
Appleton street to Church street.  
Hurd street.  
William street.  
George street.  
Church street to Lawrence street.  
Lawrence street to the city line in Wigganville.

All intervening streets between Lawrence street and Gorham street from Church street and Central street; both sides of Gorham street to city line including Maple and London streets and streets running parallel to the N. Y. & N. H. tracks.

**Thursday**  
Chelmsford street and all side streets leading off B. & M. tracks to the city line, and from Branch street, one side of Middlesex street to Harvard street; Princeton street and from Princeton street to Pine; Pine street to Parker; Parker street to Chelmsford street. This entire district is known as the Highland district.

**Friday**  
Starting on Dutton street, corner of Fletcher street.  
Fletcher street.  
Adams street.  
Common street.  
Salem street.  
Merrimack street, Moody and Ford streets, from Cabot street.

All of Pawtucketville, and all streets leading off Broadway from Suffolk street to Middlesex street and all Pawtucket street and intervening streets between Pawtucket street and Broadway.

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## POLICE COURT

Continued

was Patrolman Jerome Cullen, who testified that about 3:30 o'clock on the night of the 15th of April, Briggs drove his machine through Thorndike street at a rapid rate of speed, passed to the left of the traffic light at the depot, climbed the hill, turned into Chelmsford, but had to turn back owing to the fact that the bridge is open. The man then went up Thorndike street towards the south common and several minutes later returned down the Thorndike street hill. There were three other persons in the car besides the driver and when Patrolman Cullen questioned Briggs he figured that his condition was such as to warrant the sending of the man to the police station.

Lieut. Alexander Duncan testified to seeing Briggs at the hill but was not present when Patrolman Cullen stopped the machine subsequently. Witness thought that the automobile was traveling about 50 miles an hour.

Sgt. David Petrie testified to seeing Briggs at the police station and in his opinion the man was under the influence of liquor. He said that Briggs admitted he had been drinking. Inspector Walsh corroborated the testimony offered by the preceding witness.

No defense was offered and the court after explaining the seriousness of the offense, imposed the fines stated.

## Guilty of Larceny

Alvin L. Meador, who claims to be living in South Gardner, Me., but who has been working in this city for several weeks, was charged with the larceny of groceries and provisions from George Matthews and George C. Fairburn. It is alleged that Meador called at Mr. Matthews' market on April 20th and ordered 15 or 20 pounds of goods to be delivered in Appleton street, but when an attempt was made to make the delivery, it was found that there was no such number. The same day he called at Fairburn's market and ordered several pounds of meat and after stating that he wanted it delivered at a number on Bridge street, he left and would take a couple of pounds of meat with him. During the course of the trial this morning, it was also brought out that he got a pair of overalls and took from a woman who conducts a variety store. Meador asked to be given an opportunity to make restitution but the court decided that a jail sentence would be more proper and therefore committed him to two months in jail.

## Assault and Battery

Nicholas Paleas was fined \$25 in court this morning, after being found guilty of assault and battery on James Jocas. The alleged assault occurred one week ago Tuesday night and although it was brought out during the course of the trial that the defendant did not commit the assault himself, Judge Enright was of the opinion that the defendant was the instigator and was equally liable as were the two men who made their escape.

Jocas was returning from his work on the night in question with his sister and sister-in-law, all of whom were employed in the Hanover mills, where there had been a small strike. When they reached the railroad crossing in Merrimack street, it is alleged that three men approached Jocas, one of them knocking him down and as a result of the fall, he suffered a broken wrist. He identified the defendant as being present and making a threat, a threat having been made on the previous day also.



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Boston Elevated	72 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Ros. & Maine	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
N Y & N H	59 1/2	57 1/2	62 1/2

MINING

NEW YORK, April 27.—Material recoveries from yesterday's final prices were registered at today's opening of the stock market, although gains were again offset by moderate losses. The familiar specialties, including American and Baldwin Locomotives, Crucible Steel, Studebaker and U. S. Industrial Alcohol, advanced 1 to 1½ points, and U. S. Steel, which was under restraint in the previous session, also showed market improvement. There was a broader demand for high class rails, the Pacific, Reading, Erie and Chesapeake & Ohio getting 2 to 2½ points, with further activity in Norfolk & Western, Mercantile Marine and Western. Bethlehem Steel fell 4 to 4½ points. Steel assumed a more commanding position and had a group probably reflecting its stimulus from the

Western's increased dividend and the more favorable labor outlook. Coal-ers, particularly Erie, Reading and some minor issues, increased their ad- vantage and New Haven gained two points. The decline, multiplied and equipments made further upward progress, despite considerable realiz- ing and opposition from the short in- terest. A few inactive high-priced specialties, including the sugars and Sugar-Bonbons were 5 to 11 points higher. Trading, characterized by greater activity. Bonds were steady.

Standard stocks rose to higher lev- els in the afternoon, Union Pacific leading the advance with a gain of 3/8 to 134. This advance was coincident with the publication of the company's March earnings showing a net in- crease of over \$1,600,000.

Reading at an extreme advance of 4 1/2 points featured the final hour's ac- tive movement. The closing was strong.

**MONEY MARKET**

**NEW YORK, April 27.**—Mercurille money 3 1/2 to 4; sterling: Sixty day bills 4 1/2 to 2; demand 4 1/2 to 2; cables 4 1/2 to 2; francs: Demand 5 3/8; cables 5 1/2; marks: Demand 74 1/8; cables 74 1/8; Kronen: Demand 13; cables 13 1/8; Guilders: Demand 42; cables 42 1/4; Lires: Demand 6 40; cables 6 39; Rubles: Demand 34 1/2; cables 34 1/2; Ba: Demand 33 1/2; cables 33 1/2. Railroad 54. Government bonds steady; railroads bonds steady.

Time loans easier; sixty days 2 1/4 to 3; ninety days 2 3/4 to 4; six months 3 1/4 to 3 1/2.

Call money steady; high 2 1/2; low 2 1/4; ruling rate 2 1/2; last loan 2 1/4; closing bid 2; offered at 2 1/4.

# RIOT IN PRISON

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## 200 Prisoners Tried to Attack Man Accused of Killing Little Girl

LANSING, Kas., April 27.—Angered by the stories of the murder of ten-year-old Edna Dinsmore in Topeka Tuesday 200 prisoners today attempted to attack Fred Bissell, of Topeka, suspected of the crime, in the state penitentiary yard.

The prisoners had heard of Bissell's arrival here to save him from a Topeka mob and under the cry of "Come on, boys," they rushed at him. Deputy wardens and prison guards clubbed the prisoners into submission.

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# LOWELL BOY IN WAR

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## ALFRED PILOTTE OF KENWOOD HEARS HIS NEPHEW HAS GONE TO THE TRENCHES IN FRANCE

Alfred Pilotte, of Kenwood, is in receipt of a field card from his nephew, George Pilotte, who is now training at a British camp in England. The young man, who was born in this city, left Lowell at the age of four, and

went to Canada with his parents. His parents died a few years ago and recently George enlisted in the Canadian army.

After receiving a training course in Canada, George was sent to England, where he is now awaiting orders to go to the French trenches. The young soldier is 19 years of age and according to the card he sent, he is enjoying the best of health and hopes to be sent to the front very soon. He writes in the letter his uncle he will write a long letter as soon as he has taken part in a real battle.

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Mme. Makarenka, the Russian prima donna, was the youngest prima donna in the country when she made her debut.

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**BOSTON MARKET**  
BOSTON, April 27.—Although firm in tone, copper shares were inactive during the early hours today. Zinc stocks were strong and in good demand, U. S. smelting selling at 7 1/2%.

**EXCHANGES**  
NEW YORK, April 27.—Exchanges \$170,589,037; balances, \$26,531,937.

**COTTON MARKET**  
NEW YORK, April 27.—Cotton futures opened steady. May, 11 3/4; July, 12 3/4; October, 12 5/8; December, 12 7/8; January, 12 5/8.  
Futures closed steady. May, 11 3/4; July, 12 3/4; October, 12 5/8; December, 12 7/8; January, 12 5/8. Spot steady middling, 12 1/2.

# INCOME TAX MEASURE

WILL RESULT IN EQUALITY FOR  
PAYERS, SAYS MR. ANDREW  
OF MASS. TAX ASSOCIATION

BOSTON, April 27.—"The investing public has been so hungry for Massachusetts tax exempt securities that there have been floated in this state all sorts of these securities, some of which aren't worth the paper they are printed on," said Charles A. Andrews of the Massachusetts Tax association.

before the executive council of the Massachusetts state board of trade the Vendome yesterday.

He was describing the 6 per cent income tax bill now pending in the legislature, a bill he whole-heartedly commended as fair to all and the greatest single step toward fiscal justice that there has been an opportunity to take in his state for a century."

"Where is the opposition to the bill?" someone asked.

"There is no opposition," Andrews replied. "There are some mistaken opposition among some of those who have the most high-minded motives and some of whom have other motives I am afraid. When we have said that assessors were not assessing property properly they have said that we are changing the law. 'This is not the case,' we have been criticizing laws of the state which forced on assessors duties not but could be accomplished."

"Then there is no intimation of opposition from some people on

"What is the street," asked another man in the audience.

"Well, there are some people down town who are concerned with rather large fortunes and investments, who are sometimes spoken of as of the street," replied the speaker.

"The Massachusetts public has taken on a lot of high-priced and low-value securities. The public has been deceived by tax exempt securities so that there has been excessive investment in organizations which have not sound financially, and those interested in selling stocks and bonds for such corporations may regard the new law as a great trepidation."

"But the stock is pushed there with no more checking than from New Orleans or Dover, and therefore will be the added advantage that every one will be taxed alike, only six per cent. on their income."

"Every individual in the commonwealth will lose the habits of thrift; he will make his money in his lifetime—he will make it all—then return a true one."

The body went on record as favoring "Federal legislation permitting the maintenance of resale prices, under which restrictions, on identified merchandise, of voluntary purchase made and sold under competitive conditions."

Robert Luce addressed the organization briefly.

### Quiz on Tax Bill

The members of the Massachusetts legislature and incidentally such of the public as happened to drop in, heard much about the proposed income tax bill which has been reported to a joint committee on taxation at an informal "quiz" held yesterday afternoon by the committee.

At the appointed hour there were only two members of the taxation committee on hand. Mr. Catheron of Beverly and Mr. Souther of Cohasset, but they quickly entered the discussion. Mr. Souther being an opponent of the measure.

Mr. Brury of Waltham asserted that the measure would insure payment by holders of intangibles who now escape incidentally remarking on the numbers of such cases in Mr. Souther's district.



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Mr. & Mrs. H. J. Green

Mrs. Hetty Green, by repute the richest woman in America, who is reported ill, was born Nov. 21, 1835, in New Bedford, Mass. In a long career she won the fame of being the world's greatest woman financier, but the substantial basis to build upon, for her father, who died in 1855, left her a very large fortune. Her biography in "Who's Who in America," says "interested in nearly every large corporation and enterprise of magnitude."

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Scene from "My Lady Ince" with Hazel Dawn at the Merrimack Square Theatre Today and Tomorrow.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," Eugene Walter's gripping drama which is the offering of the Emerson Players at the Opera House will be given its final performance today and tomorrow. As there is a big demand for reservations. Being the second last week of the season, there are requests for tickets from all cities and towns within a radius of twenty miles around Lowell and many are certain to be disappointed if they delay in securing tickets. Phone reservations are held until 1:45 and 7:45 o'clock only. Miss Ann O'Day is scoring a brilliant hit by her clever portrayal of June, the primitive mountain maid and her work is one of the finest exhibitions of acting ever seen in this city. Herbert Hayes as John Hale is also good while Joe Crehan, Walter von Hoekman, Richard Barry, Frank Wright, Ernie Brown, May Gerald and other members of the company play the various parts assigned them in a brilliant manner. The scenic production is superb with all new and special effects used, such as characterized the original production in New York, Boston and other big cities.

Next week will be the farewell of the Emerson Players at this theatre and for the closing attraction the management has selected "Marrying Money," the greatest comedy of all ages and a play that is certain to make a great hit with the theatregoers of this city. Never before has this play been offered at popular prices except by the Siles-Emerson company and in securing this attraction special arrangements were made with the company and the result is that the play in New York this fall at two dollar prices it ran all last season at the Princess theatre in New York City to crowded houses and was proclaimed by the critics "the greatest ever."

"Marrying Money" tells a great story. Both Theodore Vanderpool and Mildred Niles are seeking a match with a wealthy admirer. He believes that his father is worth millions. Together, they work on each other and through the influence of Jimmy Sweeney, they elope. After the marriage, they discover that they have cheated each other in regard to their fortunes and around this the author has woven a story that provokes more laughs than any other comedy ever produced. Into the play, characters are introduced with whom we are all familiar. The Opera House is certain to break all records for packed houses next week and the demand for seats is already so big that patrons should make reservations early and arrange to go as early in the week as possible to avoid disappointment. Seats can be secured now by phoning 251.

### B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Audiences at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, are exceedingly appreciative of the efforts of the entertainers. In fact, in one or two instances they grow positively demonstrative. Mrs. Caroline B. Nichols and her women's orchestra, the Fadettes of Boston, bring forth a lot of applause for their splendid playing of classics and popular numbers. Mrs. Nichols believes in sprinkling through her programs numbers which have the pop and zest of modernity, although her players are very capable in renditions of the more solid pieces. One may hear a von Suppé overture, and then turn to a mixture of the national anthems of the various countries. In the popular field there is probably no other organization before the public today which can do the lighter kinds of music as well. Careful study of the best of popular music, and careful playing of it, to bring out all of its beauties, are the two things which have made the Fadettes of Boston so successful. In the orchestra as at present constituted the string section is especially good, although the other instruments are not played. Mrs. Nichols enters into the pleasure of the program quite as keenly as do others, and this accounts for the fact that the players are always right up to concert pitch, so to speak. If audiences applaud and applaud again at the work of the Fadettes, it is when Billy Bouncer is on that the applause becomes almost a demonstration. Billy Bouncer is the foremost tramping performer in the world. He can jump onto the bounding bed and at once shoot up into the air as gracefully as would a bird in the beginning of flight. Bouncer calls for volunteers at every performance, and offers a prize to the one who most nearly follows out his work. Several athletically inclined young men invariably answer the call and go to the stage. Naturally enough their performance is not exactly in line with that of Billy Bouncer, but it is full of humor. The falls and funny moves of the young men are bound to send any audience out of the theatre in a splendid mood. The niftiest male dancers seen in a long time are the Moscov brothers, who introduce novel steps. The Charlie Chaplin member of the duo has studied the famous Keystone comedian and has brought many of his eccentric steps and maneuvers into his dancing. This makes a rattling good finish for the act. Joseph E. Bernard and Mabel Haslam in William Mack's breezy comedy, "Who Is She?" score well. The little piece has much of bright repartee in it, and it ends most satisfactorily, although at times a real test is threatened. For a performance more than average stunner of popular numbers, makes a very positive hit, and the Wartans,

novelty jugglers, open the bill very well. Bogart and Nicoll in singing, talking and juggling are good entertainers. The Selig-Tribune pictures are interesting as usual. Good seats for the remaining performances may be obtained in advance. Phone 28.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

John Barrymore and Hazel Dawn proved again that they were charming entertainers when at the Merrimack Square theatre yesterday afternoon and evening at the continuous performance they appeared in the roles of their respective successes. John Barrymore convulsed with laughter the audiences with his inimitable funny interpretation of the character of Cleopatra Hannibal Butts, the versatile corset salesman in the picture adaptation of "The Red Widow." In "My Lady Ince," Miss Dawn was equally as charming and interesting as Barrymore was funny in his play. Miss Dawn's success is of the detective nature and the interest is well kept up until the end. The first of the interesting Burton Holmes travel pictures were also shown as well as other pleasing pictures. This same program will be continued at the continuous performances at the Merrimack Square theatre today and tomorrow.

### OWL THEATRE

That very fine artist, Mr. Holbrook Billin, is the central figure in the five part World film feature, "The Family Cupboard," the photoplay which is to be the attraction at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow. Playing opposite to him is another of the favorite motion picture stars, Frances Nelson. The part of the former is a strong one, and he does it the amplest justice, while the latter plays her part in her usual artistic manner.

The majority of the theatregoers have most likely seen the stage production of this play and the fame which it has gained on the boards is only exceeded by its great success on the screen. The story of this photoplay, cannot be described as an altogether pleasant one, but it is full of dramatic power and moral significance. It tells of a father and his son, who unknown to each other are both "keeping house" with the same girl, an actress. When the father walks out and the son is made apparent, there is much washing of dirty linen before peace is restored and as a result, the society wife resolves to think more of her home, the husband his business and the son to renounce Bohemia and all its ways. An excellent comedy and other high class attractions will also be presented at the Owl theatre today and tomorrow.

### ROYAL THEATRE

"The Mysteries of Myra," a three-reel episode will be shown every Friday and Saturday at the Royal theatre. This new feature-serial, produced by Theodore and Leo Wharton, combines many new elements of interest and in the leads are Jean Southern and Howard Estabrook, two favorites who need no special recommendation as their work in past stage and picture productions have made them popular idols. You may have seen many films, of all sorts and variety but never have you seen a film like "The Mysteries of Myra," which combines drama, romance and psychology, in a most astounding story. The International Film company produced this new feature which is said will outshine any previous efforts for weekly serial-episode entertainment. Charles W. Goddard, author of the "Elaine"-Pathe serials is the man behind this scenario, and he was assisted by Hereford Carrington, whose knowledge of psychology and detective work aided him for the part is the man who suggests the stories. Therefore we have a happy combination. The first episode will be shown today and tomorrow at the Royal theatre—and in addition, a four-act drama, "For Her Son," with the celebrated Betty Nansen, will be shown besides. Other single reel comedies and dramas will complete this fine end-of-the-week performance.

### JEWEL THEATRE

William Russell, Mutual's celebrated leading man, will be seen in the leading part in "The Thoroughbred," a five-act Mutual masterpiece to be shown especially at the Jewel theatre today and tomorrow. The picture tells an episode of "The Girl and the Game" with Helen Holmes and other film favorites will complete the program. Monday, Valetta Stratton, in "Soul of Broadway," a Fox production.

### ORDER OF MOOSE

One of the finest characteristics of the Loyal Order of Moose is the respect which its members display to their deceased brothers. Every year usually upon the first Sunday after Easter, every Moose lodge throughout the jurisdiction of the Loyal Order of Moose meet to perform their memorial services. This service is an impressive and elaborate one.

Sunday, April 30, at 3 p. m. in Old Fellows building, Lowell Lodge, No. 618 will meet to perform this sacred duty. Dictator Edward St. Ledger, assisted by the other officers will conduct the services. As the committee, consisting of W. E. Turnbull, James W. McKenna and Ernest Parsons has labored untiringly for the success of this service, a large attendance is confidently expected.

### REORGANIZE ARMY AVIATION

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The special committee of the general staff investigating army aviation affairs, looking towards proposed reorganization was announced today at the war department.

Major P. D. Lachridge of the war college is chairman, and other members are Col. Chase W. Kennedy, Maj. John McA. Palmer and Capt. Dan T. Moore. The committee will especially consider Secretary Baker's suggestion that aviation be made a co-ordinate branch of the army organization, instead of a subordinate arm of the signal corps.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

TEACHER will give private lessons in English language, mathematics, civil service, etc. Address Miss K. E. Cavanaugh, 129 Lowell St., Tel. 381-12.

CHIMNEY BUILDING, repairing and cleaning at reasonable prices. Wm. Cloutier, 31 West Third St. Tel. 5181-W.

LACE CURTAINS laundered; 55c pair. 21 Meadowcroft st.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS

Under the provisions of Section 43, Chapter 500 of the Acts of 1905, the depositors of the City Institution for Savings are requested to present their books of deposit for verification during the month of April 1916.

FRANK W. HURD, Treas.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Anna M. Bourke, of Lowell, in said County, that she was lawfully married to William J. Bourke, now of parts unknown to your libellant, at said Lowell, on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1907, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said William J. Bourke, lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at said Lowell; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said William J. Bourke, being wholly and utterly deserted by your libellant, which desertion has continued from such time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel. And your libellant has resided in this Commonwealth to wit, at said Lowell, for more than five consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said William J. Bourke. And your libellant represents that there has been no cohabitation, for more than five years next prior to the filing of this libel. And your libellant has resided in this Commonwealth to wit, at said Lowell, for more than five consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Dated this eighth day of April, A. D. 1916.

ANNA M. BOURKE.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, April 12, A. D. 1916.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of the Superior Court, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the first publication to be on the first Monday of June, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. A14-21-25

VERIFICATION OF DEPOSIT BOOKS In every Massachusetts Savings Bank is required by law this year.

DEPOSITORS IN THE CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK Will please present their books for verification in April, May or June. Books sent in by mail will be promptly returned.

SITUATIONS WANTED POSITION as clerk wanted by young married man who can speak Portuguese, English and a little French. Good references. Bernard Fragos, 616 Market st.

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## FOR SALE

STRAWBERRY PLANTS; 4000 for sale; all kinds; 35c a hundred. F. Westford, Mass. Tel. 38-12.

SECOND THINGS for sale; also model 10 Buick, \$1000, with demonstrate. 14 Canaries for sale. Males and females. 102 Cross st.

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PIANOS—Extra good bargains in pianos and player pianos. Music rolls free at Hounsell's, 304 Bridge st.

TIRES—John Y. Myers offers real bargains in factory blemished tires. All sizes and makes. Free auto delivery. 101 So. Whipple st.

Two horses, two wagons, buggy, cow, three horses of scales, two meat blocks, six hives, meat saws, cleavers, for sale. Can be seen at the New England Market, 130 Adams st., before Saturday night.

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COAT MAKER wanted; good position for reliable man. Apply 439 Broadway, Lawrence, Mass.

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PAINTER HANGERS, painters, whitewashers, wanted; must be first class. Steady work guaranteed. Apply 155 Chelmsford st.

YOUNG MAN, wanted; bright, active, aged 20 to 25 years, as factory clerk. An excellent opportunity for advancement. State age, references and experience. Address G 92, Sun Office.

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DRUG CLERK wanted at once; one with one or two years experience. Apply J. T. Lantagne, 215 Gorham st.

WEAVERS wanted for night work. Apply at 129 Perkins st.

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SWEDISH GIRL wanted; experienced; in small family of adults. Apply at 38 Essex street, cor. Berkeley st. Lawrence. Lowell cars pass the door.

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MEN wanted to learn the leather cut stock trade. Experience unnecessary. Plenty of work all the time. We are not dependent on war orders. Apply ready for work to Gardner Beardsell Co., Nashua, N. H.

BOY wanted; must be strong, active honest; a young man as assistant to driver on laundry. Apply to Apply Lowell Laundry, 130 Cambridge st.

GIRLS wanted to operate power sewing machines. Apply to Knit Goods Dept., Tremont & Suffolk Mills.

FIXER wanted; experienced on power sewing machines. Apply to Mr. Pierling, Tremont & Suffolk Mills.

GIRL, experienced, for general housework wanted. Good wages. Apply at Sun Office.

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Also girls to learn. John C. Meyer Co., 1449 Middlesex Street.

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VIOLIN wanted, cheap; state price. Write Q 19, Sun Office.

CHILDREN any age, to board in private family. Lawrence car to Kenwood station. Mrs. Derry, brown house across the street.

WOULD LIKE to buy setting, hens, Leroy S. Draper, Gen. Del. City.

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TWO TENEMENT HOUSE for sale near School st.; 6 rooms and bath to each; asphalt roof; hot water heat; new plumbing; large yard; rent \$32 per month; price \$3900. Tel. 9132-R. D. F. Leary, over Owl theatre.

TWO TENEMENT HOUSE for sale near Westford st.; 5 rooms each; excellent repair; new plumbing and gas; rent \$28 per month; price \$3400. Tel. 9132-R. D. F. Leary, over Owl theatre.

OWNER retiring from Lowell will sell two blocks, comprising 19 tenements, at a sacrifice, paying 12 per cent. H. Lindner, 342 Prospect st. Lawrence.

TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE and barn for sale; near Broadway and Phillips street. 6 rooms each tenement. Fine barn. Large lot and well must sell. Price \$3400. Tel



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## LOWELL SOLDIER IN WAR

### Priv. H. Barette Tells of Rescuing Two Men in Trenches While Bullets Flew Around Him

Another interesting letter from Private H. Barette, who is a member of the Canadian army fighting under the British colors in France, has been received by the young man's mother, Mrs. E. M. Barette of 235 Ludlow street. The letter is as follows:

My dear Mother: A few words in reply to the two letters I have just received from you. It is always pleasing to have news from the old homestead and more to learn that all the members of the family are enjoying good health. I will have another photograph taken in uniform and will send you a copy.

I thank God for the fact that I have not as yet had any misfortune except a slight illness, but for the past few days I am feeling fine. It is almost a miracle to be able to live in the trenches, where every hour of the day hundreds of men are being killed. I cannot tell you what is going on here, but nevertheless I am sending you a piece of the tunic worn by one of the German prisoners we recently captured. You may keep it as a souvenir of the great European war.

A few days ago we were visited by the Canadian chaplain of the battalion, who bestowed his blessing upon the soldiers, who were kneeling in mud while shells were exploding on all sides. It was a really impressive sight to see so many men kneeling before a clergyman and paying so little attention to the pieces of shrapnel that were flying in the air.

My dear mother, since I have sent you my last photograph practically every man in my company has been replaced by others, most of them having

### FOR RHEUMATIC MISERY

There is no place for rheumatic pains and misery, if you will only follow the advice of an old, experienced physician. Dr. Levi Minard prescribed and used Minard's liniment for soreness, stiffness, swelling and all rheumatic pains.

There is no other remedy that can take its place. It has never failed and is perfectly harmless, economical, agreeable and clean to use, as it is absolutely stainless.

Minard's liniment, obtained from any druggist, is wonderfully soothing, penetrating and effective in all cases of strains, lumbago, sore joints, stiffness, sciatica and rheumatism.

### 30 CHILDREN RESCUED

LOUISE PENSE PILOTS THOSE IN BURNING PROVIDENCE TENEMENT HOUSE FROM STRUCTURE

PROVIDENCE, April 25.—Thirty young children were piloted to safety by Louise Pense yesterday when fire broke out in the basement of the three-story tenement house at 7 and 9 Lilly street. The quick work of the woman, who lives on the third floor, probably saved from suffocation many of the little ones.

Div. 11 dance, A. O. H. hall, tonight.

GIVEN 12 YEARS

LAWRENCE, April 25.—Hormidas Sahnier, who on Wednesday pleaded guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Henry Willis of Bradford by gas asphyxiation in this city on October 16 last, was sentenced to serve not less than eight and not more than 12 years in state's prison at today's session of superior court.

## LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

contingent is withheld but news despatches from Marseilles have indicated a belief that as many as 250,000 Russian troops probably would be transferred this spring to the Franco-Belgian front.

### British Guard Vessel Sunk

Another naval vessel reported destroyed is described by the German admiralty as a large British guard vessel. German naval forces accounted for this craft, which was encountered on the Dogger Bank. They also captured a fishing steamer and took it into a German port.

### Steamer Industry Lost

The British press bureau announces the sinking of the British steamer industry of 1041 tons by a submarine, which left the crew in open boats in the Atlantic, 120 miles from land. The American liner Finland, from Liverpool for New York, picked up the crew. The industry, which was on her way to an American port, is declared to have been unharmed.

### Russian Battleship Attacked

Berlin announces an attack by three German aeroplanes on the Russian battleship Slava, the armed dropping 31 bombs on the warship, on which a fire was observed to have broken out after several hits had been scored.

### Russians Repulsed

The Turkish war office claims a repulse for the Russians in an attack on the right wing of the Turkish army near Suren, south of Bitlis, Armenia. The Russians retiring more than a mile to the northward after suffering heavy losses.

### Quiet In Verdun

For the first time in many days the French official statement mentions no notable activity, even by the artillery, in the Verdun region. Only an intermittent bombardment in the vicinity of Avocourt and Ehenes, west of the Meuse is recorded.

Along the rest of the French front there were no events of importance. German efforts for the present seem to be directed against the British along the line in northern France and Belgium, where London last night reported activity that seemed to observers there to indicate that the Germans might be able to launch an offensive as determined as that directed against Verdun.

Ambassador Gerard left Berlin last night for German army headquarters where he will have an audience with Emperor William, who with his advisers is considering the reply to the American note on submarine warfare.

### RUSSIAN WARSHIP AND GERMAN SUBMARINE SUNK — 124 MEN MISSING

LONDON, April 27, 1.52 p. m.—The British battleship Russell has been sunk by a mine. Admiral Fremantle, the captain of the Russell, 24 officers and 676 men were saved. About 124

men from the Russell are missing. The warship was sunk in the Mediterranean.

A German submarine was sunk off the east coast yesterday. It was announced officially today. Eighteen men on the submarine were captured.

The sinking of the Russell and of the German submarine was announced in the following official statement:

"H. M. S. Russell, Capt. William Bowden Smith, R.N., flying the flag of Rear Admiral Fremantle, struck a mine in the Mediterranean yesterday and was sunk. The admiral, captain, 24 officers and 676 men were saved. There are about 124 officers and men missing."

A German submarine was sunk off the east coast yesterday. One officer and seventeen men of the crew surrendered and were made prisoners."

Under ordinary conditions the Russell carried between 750 and 800 men. The Russell was laid down in 1899 and completed in 1905. She was 405 feet long, 75 feet beam, 25 feet deep and displaced 14,000 tons. She was armed with four 12-inch, twelve 6-inch, twelve 3-inch and six 3-pound guns and four torpedo tubes. She cost about \$5,000,000.

The Russell is the eleventh British battleship which has been lost during the war. The others were the Audacious, Bulwark, Formidable, Irresistible, Ocean, Gollath, Triumph, Majestic, Natal and King Edward VII. In addition, about 35 other British warships of various classes have been destroyed.

### SWITZERLAND INDIGNANT OVER APPEARANCE OF GERMAN CRAFT OVER TERRITORY

BERNE, via Paris, April 27.—(Delayed.) The flight of a German aeroplane over Swiss territory in the region of Porrentruy yesterday morning, occurring so soon after a previous similar flight over the same territory has provoked the strongest indignation in Switzerland.

This is reflected in all sections of the press. The semi-official Bund says the time has come to demand from Germany something more than expressions of regret or excuses. The moderate Journal de Geneve points out that this is the thirteenth incident of the kind and that the German minister gave the most solemn assurances last August that there would be no further violations and added that German aviators were ordered to keep three miles from the Swiss frontier, yet the raids have been even more frequent since.

The newspaper describes the flight over Switzerland as an insulting disregard of federal authority.

### ROMANIANS DISTRESSED OVER TREATMENT BY TEUTON AUTHORITIES OF ATTACHE

LONDON, April 27.—(Delayed.)—The Romanians are distressed over the treatment by Austro-Hungarian authorities of a Romanian military attaché from the Berlin legation whom they arrested at Brasso, Transylvania, while he was on his way to Bucharest with a diplomatic case, says a Ruter despatch from Bucharest.

After protestations the attaché was permitted to proceed, but the case was retained. Upon his arrival at Bucharest, the Romanian government made an official application to Austria, whereupon the attaché's case was returned intact.

### CALM ON THE WHOLE FRENCH FRONT LAST NIGHT, SAYS PARIS

PARIS, April 25.—No important events are reported during last night along the whole French front. There has been intermittent artillery fire about Avocourt and Ehenes and some trench fighting in the section of Regneville west of Pont-a-Mousson.

Several serious combats are reported, in the course of which a Fokker plane was driven to the earth in the enemy's lines in the region of Nessel-Chaumes. This information is contained in the French official report issued this afternoon, the text of which follows:

"Last night witnessed no event of importance with the exception of an intermittent bombardment in the region of Avocourt and Ehenes, and a certain activity on the part of our trench guns in the sector of Regneville, to the west of Pont-a-Mousson."

"During the day of Thursday French aviators delivered numerous aerial attacks. An aeroplane of the enemy was brought down in the region of Fromezey. Two other German machines, attacked by French aviators, were compelled to land seriously injured, one near Domont and the other in the wood of Montfaucon. In the region of Nessel-Chaumes a German Fokker plane, reached by the French fire, was seen to fall headfirst within the German line. During the day of the 24th a French air squadron in the Voivre bombarded the railroad station at La Marche, throwing down 15 shells."

### THE BRITISH STEAMSHIP INDUSTRY SUNK BY SUBMARINE

LONDON, April 28, 1.51 p. m.—The British steamship industry has been sunk by a submarine, which left the crew of the vessel in open boats 120 miles from land. The crew was picked up by the American liner Finland.

The sinking of the steamship was made known in the following official statement:

"The British steamship industry was sunk by an enemy submarine and the crew was left in open boats in the Atlantic 120 miles from the nearest land. The boats, with the entire crew were picked up by the American liner Finland."

"The industry was proceeding to a United States port and was unharmed."

### THREE GERMAN AEROPLANES DROPPED 3 BOMBS ON RUSSIAN BATTLESHIP

BERLIN, April 25. (By wireless to Tuckerton.)—An official report issued today by the German admiralty announces that three German aeroplanes yesterday dropped thirty-one bombs on the Russian battleship

Slava. Several of the bombs are said to have taken effect and a fire on the battleship was distinctly observed.

The text of the admiralty statement follows: "Three German aeroplanes on April 27 dropped 31 bombs upon the Russian battleship Slava. Several hits and a conflagration were distinctly observed. All the raiders, in spite of the heaviest shelling, returned unharmed."

### OFFICIAL WAR REPORT FROM AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN HEADQUARTERS

BERLIN, April 28. (By wireless to Tuckerton.)—The Austro-Hungarian headquarters report of April 26, received here from Vienna, follows:

"On the southwest edge of the Dobrodo plateau new and violent engagements took place. East of Seiz the enemy succeeded in entering our positions on a larger front, but when they manifested intention to continue the attack the Austro-Hungarians by counter-attacks drove the Italians into their former positions and even ejected them from these in bitter hand to hand fighting. Thereby all our former positions are in our hands. Italians to the number of 120 were made prisoners."

"The artillery fire was very lively at several places on the Isonzo front. On the Carinthian front there was little activity. At Col di Lana our heavy mortars continued their fire. The enemy's artillery decreased its activity."

"In the Sogana sector the Italians evacuated all positions between Volto and Roncogno, where much war material was found. The Italians withdrew to Roncogno."

### ZEPPELINS WERE THE 'EYES' OF GERMAN RAIDING FLEET

LONDON, April 28.—One of the German destroyers which participated in the bombardment of Lowestoft, on Tuesday, stopped the Swedish steamship James J. Dickson, en route for Amsterdam, and took her into a German port, according to the Rotterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail.

The German raiding squadron, which numbered about 20, including six battle-cruisers, was sighted from Ameland and Vlieland, the latter a Dutch island off the entrance of the Zuider Zee, the former in the North Sea, four miles north of the coast of Friesland. The squadron was accompanied by a Zeppelin and submarines.

As the squadron returned through the sound firing was heard, indicating that the German ships were being pursued. The German ships were preceded by four Zeppelins on the way to England, while on the return journey the Zeppelins kept in the rear, demonstrating their enormous value as the 'eyes of the fleet'."

### SWEDISH STEAMER WAS CAPTURED AND TAKEN TO HAMBURG BY GERMANS

LONDON, April 27. (Delayed.)—The Swedish steamer, J. J. Dickson, bound to Amsterdam, was captured and taken to Hamburg by the fleet of German warships while the fleet was returning from the bombardment of the English coast on Tuesday last.

The name of the J. J. Dickson does not appear in available shipping records.

### AGREEMENT PERMITS THE SENDING OF CABLEGRAMS FROM DENMARK TO U. S.

LONDON, April 27, 7.55 a. m. (Delayed.)—An agreement has been reached between the Danish chamber of commerce and the British government by which cablegrams from Denmark to the United States and England concerning business transactions in accordance with the Anglo-Danish agreement are allowed to pass the British censorship without delay.

### ANOTHER CONTINGENT OF RUSSIAN TROOPS LANDED IN FRANCE

PARIS, April 28, 2 p. m.—A Havas despatch from Marseilles reports the arrival there of a further contingent of Russian troops, the number of which is not given.

The Russians reached Marseilles this morning, the despatch says, and disembarked immediately. They were received with the same military and civil honors as were accorded the previous Russian detachments, and were cheered by the people as they marched to Camp Mirabeau. They will be sent in a few days to Camp Mailli.

### FOUR BRITISH CAVALRY SQUADRONS ANNIHILATED BY TURKS

BERLIN, April 23. (By wireless to Tuckerton.)—N. J. J. Turkish troops annihilated four British cavalry squadrons, about 300 men, in a battle April 22 near Quatta, about 25 miles east of the Suez canal. This information was contained in an official report issued by the Turkish war department under date of April 27.

### YOUTH IN OLD AGE

How to Live to Be One Hundred Years Old

With proper attention to diet, prevention of colds, exercise, plenty of sleep, proper care of the skin and the use of a strengthening tonic like Vinol, years may be added to one's life.

Civil War Veteran, Mr. W. H. Bowers, of Steubenville, Ohio, says: "I am 72 years of age. I suffered from general weakness, nervous breakdown and dizziness. An old doctor recommended Vinol. It built me up so that I was able to go to work as strong and well as ever."

The reason Vinol is so beneficial to old people is because it contains the very elements needed to replace declining strength with renewed vigor. Vinol—the medicinal elements of fresh cod livers, without oil, peptonated iron, beef peptonate and a mild tonic wine.

"Vinol fails to build up the feeble weakened system of old people, we will return the amount of money paid us for it."

Liggett's Drug Store, Baker-Jaynes Drug Store, Falls & Burdickshaw and Lowell Pharmacy, Routhier & Delisle, Props., Lowell, Mass.

## FALSE ARREST ALLEGED

### Case Against Two Lowell Officers on in Circuit Court—Minor Case Heard at Local Court

The trial of the suit for false arrest by Julius Renka of this city against Sergt. Bartholomew Ryan and Patrolman Patrick Sullivan was resumed in the United States circuit court in Boston today. Renka, who lived in the vicinity of Charles street, alleges that he was arrested near his home and abused. Among the witnesses summoned to appear were City Physician T. J. Capl, Alkinson, Wagon Officer Hickson, Special Officer Clark and Patrolman P. Noonan.

### In Superior Court

The case of Charles A. and Fred R. Blodgett of Westford vs. John J. Corkery of Cambridge, and that of

Frank E. Miller, also of Westford, vs. the name, which are being tried together at the civil session of the superior court, was resumed this morning. In the first case the plaintiffs seek to recover the sum of \$236.40, which they claim the defendant owes them for milk. The plaintiffs claim that on July 19, 1915, they were given a check for the above mentioned amount on the Central Trust Co. of Cambridge, and that the said check was protested and payment refused. In the other case the plaintiff seeks to recover the sum of \$82.30 for sales of milk to defendant. Edward Fisher appears for the plaintiffs and Dallinger & Stearns for the defendant.

### Strongly fortified positions near Quatta, destroying the entire camp and a large part of the fortified positions.

"The enemy suffered heavy losses. The survivors hastily fled toward the canal."

"One colonel, one major, twenty captains and lieutenants, and 257 unharmed and 24 wounded soldiers were taken prisoner."

"Turkish camel riders and Medina volunteers distinguished themselves in this action."

"On April 25 an enemy air squadron, composed of nine aeroplanes, in order to avenge the defeat, raided Quatta and dropped about seventy bombs upon the hospital, which flew the Geneva flag. One British and two Turkish wounded soldiers were killed and two British soldiers were again wounded."

"Turkish aeroplanes successfully attacked the enemy's main-of-war at 451 Kantara and the docks of Port Said. They also dropped bombs on camps of the enemy between Port Said and El Kantara. The machines returned unharmed."

"Caucasian front: On April 25 the Russians attacked on the right wing

near Suren, south of Bitlis. They were repulsed, retiring two kilometers to the northward and suffering heavy losses."

"Turkish hydro-aeroplanes dropped bombs on the enemy's aviation station on Imbros Island. A conflagration was observed, in spite of anti-aircraft machine gun and artillery fire the hydro-aeroplanes returned safely."

### FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR

#### NEWS IN BRIEF

##### FORM

British and Germans fighting heavily; numerous assaults by Germans. French stop two German assaults north of Verdun.

Germans beat back French attack west of the Meuse.

Italians put down successive Austrian assaults at Sete.

Austrians gain near Plochen.

Russians capture village in Volynia and turn Turks out of all mountain posts south of Bitlis.

Good time, A. O. H. hall, tonight.

### Div. 11 dance, A. O. H. hall, tonight.

### GIVEN 12 YEARS

LAWRENCE, April 25.—Hormidas Sahnier, who on Wednesday pleaded guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Henry Willis of Bradford by gas asphyxiation in this city on October 16 last, was sentenced to serve not less than eight and not more than 12 years in state's prison at today's session of superior court.

### RUSSIAN WARSHIP AND GERMAN SUBMARINE SUNK — 124 MEN MISSING

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### WEDDING RINGS AND GIFTS

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Store Open Tonight Till 9.30. Closed Mondays at 6 P. M.

**INSIST** on as good a quality Clothes, for your money, as before the war. If your clothier can't supply you with the same quality Suit or Topcoat at the same price as last year make a bee line for the Merrimack Clothing Company. We positively guarantee the qualities and prices of our Men's, Women's and Boys' Clothing to be the same as before the war.

We had a tremendous Easter business last week for which we heartily thank our patrons. We visited the New York markets this week and secured about 300 men's and young men's suits to replenish our stock. These suits cost us about 10 per cent. more than usual, but we are going to reduce our profits and retain one standard of value, by offering them to you today at the old prices—

**\$15.00**  
and  
**\$20.00**

And a handsome lot of men's suits was never shown under any one roof in Lowell. The entire showing is the best we have ever made. If you have a Spring Suit to buy this week you should look over these before making your purchase. You will be asked \$3.00 to \$5.00 more elsewhere for equal qualities.

Plenty of other Suits and Topcoats from \$10.00 up to \$30.00. No matter what your price for a suit, pay us a visit today or any day; you will be well paid for the few extra steps.

**MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.**  
ACROSS FROM CITY HALL.

Watch this space every Friday for Friday night three-hour specials.

Every Friday night from 6.30 to 9.30 we will put on sale, special lots of merchandise in every department at prices lower than at any other time.

### THREE-HOUR SPECIALS TONIGHT

Any \$12.50 Mixture Suit.....\$10  
Any \$5.00 Pant, including blue serges.....\$2.50  
Any \$3.00 Hat.....\$2.65  
Men's \$1.00 Negligee Shirts.....69c  
50c Balbriggan Underwear.....42c  
Men's 15c Stockings.....10c  
Men's 5c Handkerchiefs.....6 for 15c  
Ladies' \$20 Suits.....\$18.50  
Ladies' \$5 New Lace Waists.....\$4.95  
Ladies' \$1 Quality House Dresses for.....69c  
Ladies' 69c Quality Bungalow Aprons.....49c

BOYS' \$5.00 SUITS—With two pairs of trousers, very special—

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# BURGLARS ROB MILL SAFE

## CHAUFFEUR FINED \$100 FOR VIOLATING LAW

Arrested Operating Auto While Intoxicated—Stranger in City Plays Old Swindling Game

Fred W. Briggs, auditor at the Avery Chemical Co., was found guilty of drunkenness and operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, by Judge Dwight in police court, this morning, and fined \$5 for drunkenness and \$100 for the more serious offense. The court impressed upon the defendant the seriousness of operating an automobile while under the in-

fluence of liquor and informed him that in the event of a second offense the minimum sentence is one year in the house of correction, the court having no discretion in the matter. The defendant was represented by Lawyers George P. Toye and Benjamin J. Malone. The first witness for the government Continued to page thirteen

## TO BOOST FARES REVOLT IN DUBLIN

Readjustments on Bay Censorship is Being State Would Mean Rigidly Maintained—Increase to 12 Cents No Despatches Today

BOSTON, April 28.—Readjustment of routes and fare limits on the Bay State street railway will mean an increase in fares in some instances from 5 to 12 cents, it became known today. Robert M. Feustel, the engineer who directed the work of valuation and readjustment of schedules for the road, which was made this morning, said the company's petition for increasing the unit fare to six cents, admitted this to be true under cross-examination at a continuation of the hearings by the public service commission. The engineer, he said, and passengers probably would prefer to walk a short distance beyond the initial fare limits rather than pay a second fare.

### FUNERALS

ALLARD—The funeral of J. H. G. Allard took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the home of the parents, Arthur and Rosalind Allard, 763 Middlesex street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault & Son.

### GAMES POSTPONED

National at Boston: New York-Boston game postponed, wet grounds. International at Providence: Rochester-Providence game postponed, wet grounds. Eastern at New London: Worcester-New London game postponed, wet grounds. Eastern at Springfield: Lynn-Springfield game postponed, wet grounds. Eastern at Hartford: Hartford-Portland game postponed, rain. Eastern at Bridgeport: Lowell-Bridgeport game postponed, rain.

## Middlesex Trust Co.

MEURIMACK-PALMER STS.

## GOOD WOOD

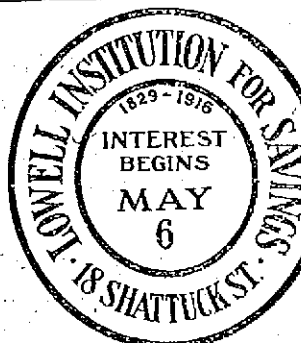
Major Gen. Leonard Wood, U.S.A., says: "If we want to make America a real melting pot, we must do something at once to make the people of the various races feel that they are a part of us. When men will pull together, we will not have the cheap distinction between Jew and Gentile, Protestant and Catholic, rich and poor. We have the material in this country, but we've got to make use of it. That's what we in this bank are trying to do with our daily business on both sides the counter. Our ambition is a People's Bank for all the People. Because they stand for such diversity is one reason why the personnel of this bank's directorate is exceptionally strong."

INTEREST BEGINS ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS TOMORROW

## HALIFOUX'S ON THE SQUARE

AMERICANS WANT PROOF OF EVERYTHING

Quite right—it is an engaging national trait that has much to do with America's greatness as a nation. You want Proofs of the fact that this store deserves your patronage. We give them in every advertisement. Look for them in the reasons we give for our continued offering of desirable merchandise at lower-than-usual prices.



## Dr. Allen

SUN BUILDING

Why will you have your teeth treated by a dentist who hurts you? Dr. Allen won't hurt you.

Painless Dentistry Lasting

## FOUR BRITISH CAVALRY SQUADRONS ANNIHILATED

Turks Report Success Near Quatia—British Battleship Russell Sunk in Mediterranean—124 of Crew Missing—German Submarine Sent to Bottom by British Off English Coast—Another Contingent of Russian Troops Landed in France

Naval events are again to the front in the war news with today's announcement that the British battleship Russell has been sunk in the Mediterranean by striking a mine and a German submarine has been sent to the bottom by the British off the English east coast.

There were more than 300 on board the Russell and about 124 are missing. Eighteen men on the German submarine were captured.

The Russell was comparatively an old vessel, having been completed in 1908. She displaced 14,000 tons and had heavy guns were four of the 12-inch type. She is the eleventh British battleship to be lost during the war.

Constantinople reports Turkish successes in the fighting near the Suez canal, declaring that in an engagement near Quatia, four British cavalry divisions, numbering about 300 men, were annihilated. Successful raids by Turkish aeroplanes on a British warship at El Kantara, on the canal and the docks at Port Said, also are announced.

More Russian Troops in France

Another contingent of Russian troops has reached Marseilles for service on the western front. This makes the third contingent whose arrival the French military authorities have permitted to be reported. As in previous instances, the strength of the

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## BURGLARS ROBBED SAFE IN FORGE VILLAGE MILL

Got \$170 From Abbott Worsted Co.—Agent's House and Post Office Recently Robbed

Burglars entered the office of the Abbott Worsted Co. in Forge Village, early this morning, blew the safe and made their getaway in safety with about \$170 in money, besides a number of papers and valuable mill documents. It is thought that three men did the job.

Entrance was forced through a door in the rear of the two-story office building. The door was pried off its hinges and thrown into the mill yard. The night watchman of the mill, Edmund Pendlebury, was making the rounds of the mill buildings when the safe was cracked.

Four Explosions

It is believed that the thieves were amateurs, as it took four explosions to blow the safe. The first explosion was heard about 2 o'clock by the night watchman, who thought the noise was made by horses in the mill barn, which is situated directly in the rear of the office.

He went to the barn to investigate and found everything all right. He then resumed his tour of inspection through the mill.

The second, third and fourth explosions came about 2:30 and 3 o'clock. Both doors of the heavy iron safe were blown from their hinges and the top and sides were cracked in several places. Plaster was stripped from the walls and ceiling and three windows were blown.

Chairs and desks in the office were knocked over by the force of the explosions and a portion of the wall near the safe was badly damaged. The damage done to the interior of the office, it is believed, will total over \$500.

Nitro-Glycerine Used

Nitro-glycerine and soap were used in cracking the safe and the thieves made no attempt to muffle the explosions. This morning pieces of soap were found everywhere about the office.

Watchman Frightened

Watchman Pendlebury, heard the fourth explosion and got to the office from one of the mill buildings just in time, it is said, to see the forms of two or three men disappearing in the darkness.

He then remembered seeing three men hanging about the building at about 10:30 o'clock and again at 12 o'clock last evening. At that time he had an idea that they were waiting for him, but he did nothing about it. After discovering that the safe in the office was blown, he did not send in an alarm until about an hour later for fear that if he came out of the office he would be shot.

Authorities Notified

Superintendent Julian A. Cameron notified the proper authorities this morning of the break and an investigation will be made by the state police. After gathering up their loot, the thieves made a quick departure from the office and it is thought that they got out of the town in an automobile.

Explosions Heard by Residents

The footing of the safe at the Abbott Worsted Co. was the main topic for discussion in Forge Village today. Several people residing in the vicinity of the mill heard the explosions but thought they were railroad torpedoes.

In conversation with a Sun representative today Supt. Cameron said that little money is carried at the company's office as a result of a "heaven" earned about 8 years ago when both the offices of the company at Grantville and Forge Village were entered and considerable money taken. He said the money stolen this morning was in pay envelopes.

Reign of Terror

The towns of Westford and Forge Village have been undergoing a reign of terror for the past few weeks and several break-ins have occurred. Only two nights ago the residence of Supt. Cameron in Westford was broken into and about \$150 worth of silverware was

taken. Entrance to the house was gained through a dining room window, and the silverware was taken mostly from that room. A large silver vase and other silverware was overlooked by the thieves, who evidently took their time as they partook of a luncheon in the pantry and dining room. Members of the Cameron family heard noises in the house shortly after they retired, but thought it was the family cat. It is an odd coincidence that after looting Supt. Cameron's house, the mill of which he is head should be burglarized.

During the past two weeks the residence of Albert Bicknell in Westford has been entered and the house ransacked but nothing of value was taken. The postoffice in Forge Village, which is situated directly opposite the Abbott Worsted Co., also received the attention of thieves several days ago, but only candy and cigars were taken. No money is kept over night in the postoffice for the street and collection of those who committed the deed.

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## OUR MUNITION TRAFFIC

Assailed and Defended at Meeting of American Society of International Law at Washington

WASHINGTON, April 28.—America's munition traffic was analyzed by eminent legal authorities today before the American society of international law. It was both assailed and defended.

Trade in war munitions was declared by most of the speakers to be legal by others its neutral "morality" was questioned.

The two principal addresses today were by Prof. James W. Garner of the university of Illinois, and Prof. Philip Marshall Brown, of Princeton university.

Prof. Garner said that German authorities were among those who had most vigorously defended the right of a neutral nation to sell munitions to a belligerent.

"The practice has uniformly been in accordance with the rule which recognizes an entire consistency between the sale of arms and the obligations of neutrality," said Prof. Garner. "There have been few instances of embargoes laid on the grounds of neutrality. The present rule rests upon solid foundations of morality and public policy. If it is ethically permissible to furnish a belligerent with coal for supplying his ships and other necessities, why is it more reprehensible morally to sell arms and munitions? Yet most of the embargo resolutions introduced in congress proposed to prohibit only the sale and exportation of arms and munitions."

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## LATE WAR NEWS

BERLIN, April 28, via London.—An official statement issued today at the German army headquarters says: "The regular shelling of places behind our front—namely, Lens and its suburbs, and also numerous villages south of the Somme and the town of Roye—has increased during the past weeks. Casualties among the civilian population, especially women and children, have been caused. The names of the killed and injured will be published in the Gazette des Ardennes."

"After an aerial fight one enemy aeroplane crashed to the earth west of the Meuse over Bethelshausen, another near Very and a third machine was brought down by our anti-aircraft guns near Frappeville, east of St. Die."

A German air squadron dropped bombs on the barracks and railway buildings at St. Menchould.

Eastern theatre: The situation is unchanged.

LARGE BRITISH GUARD VESSEL REPORTED DESTROYED BY GERMANS

BERLIN, April 28, via London, 2:35 p.m.—The admiralty announced today that on the night of April 26-27 German naval forces destroyed a large British guard vessel on Dogger bank and brought in a fishing steamer as a prize.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## BOARD CONSOLIDATIONS

PORT DIRECTORS URGE PROPOSED CHANGES—ADVANTAGES OF WATERWAYS COMMISSION

BOSTON, April 28.—Arguments for and against the bill to change the name of the Boston transit commission to Metropolitan transportation commission and increase its powers, and the bill to abolish the board of harbor and land commissioners and the directors of the port of Boston, and to establish the Massachusetts commission on waterways and public lands, were heard by the house committee on ways and means yesterday afternoon.

Those who favored the ideas embodied in both bills, but who suggested some changes in the wording of the bills were Edward F. Mosher, chairman, and Joseph Conry of the directors of the port of Boston, Charles F. Webb, chairman of the executive committee of the Boston chamber of commerce, C. J. Hubbard, chairman of the transportation committee of the Boston chamber of commerce, and Corporation Counsel John A. Sullivan of Boston, the latter suggesting that a consolidation of the two water boards may be a good thing, but objecting to the proposed change in the Boston transit commission.

LETTERS ARE CENSORED

There is considerable criticism of the censoring of letters coming from various parts of the Dominion of Canada, including the maritime provinces, are censured while others go through undisturbed. Some letters have been delayed for days as the result, presumably, of the censoring process and many complaints are heard about the rather careless way in which very personal letters are handled. This is only one of the many little things for which the war is responsible.



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## B. &amp; M. BOOMING

War Business Boosts  
March Profits to \$53,  
587—New Record

Special to The Sun  
BOSTON, Mass., April 28.—The March statement of the Boston and Maine railroad emphasizes the benefits accruing from the great railway traffic resulting from the war business and the increased trade activity that has followed it. The gross receipts for March made a new record and the net result after deducting the month's proportion of all fixed charges was a profit of \$53,587 as compared with a loss of \$151,747 in March of last year.

There was a gain of \$537,062 in gross receipts, of which \$481,292 came from freight, while the passenger revenue continued disappointing, showing a loss of \$148,688 as compared with last year.

For the nine months to the end of March there was a gain in the freight earnings of \$3,105,759 and a gain in other transportation and incidental revenue amounting to \$109,175; but on the other hand there was a decrease of \$300,847 in the passenger revenue, this reducing the total gain to \$3,214,127.

Operating expenses were kept down during the earlier months of the year to such an extent that for the nine months the total operating expenses were \$276,617 less than a year ago, making a net gain of \$3,490,144 in the operating revenue, of which \$3,105,759 appears in the net income after all charges have been deducted; this means that in place of a deficit of \$703,111 for the nine months of last year, there is for the nine months ending March 31 last, a surplus of \$2,406,280.

The surplus indicates that the results for the full year ending next June will show something better than 6 per cent. earned on the stock, and gives ground for the greatest hopefulness regarding the future. It is not to be forgotten, however, that the company has a floating debt to be financed, and that a considerable sum of money must be spent on the property within a short time. It is the necessity for both which makes the pressing need for reorganization of the system. It is proposed in the plan recently announced to finance the floating debt through the proceeds of an issue of preferred stock and place the company in a position to finance advantageously the needs of the property later on.

Officials of the road hope there will be no unnecessary delay in bringing about the reorganization for now while the company is prosperous, it can be done to much better advantage from the standpoint of the stockholders than at a time when earnings are less favorable. The results for the year indicate that the Boston and Maine, under its present management, can be depended upon to earn dividends in good times and by the expenditure of money on the property it should be possible to make better net returns in the future through the provision of improved and additional facilities. Altogether the outlook for the road has changed radically in the past few months and the outcome will be to lessen the burden on the stockholders.

## TO MEET THE KIMBALLS

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM TO PLAY ITS  
FIRST GAME OF SEASON AT  
BUNTING PARK TOMORROW

The high school baseball team which will oppose the Kimball System team at Bunting park tomorrow afternoon will be picked from a formidable array of material that has been practicing under the direction of Coach Pulsifer and Capt. Lynch. The bright spring weather has prevented the coach from shaping up his team as yet but it is assured that the aggregation Capt. Lynch leads on the field will give Paul Clark's sign painters a good battle.

The high school team will be made up from the following players: Catchers, Liston and Goodell; pitchers, Falla, Mulino, Scott, and Fisherwood; infielders, Switzer, Hayward, McVey, Desmond, Condon, Moriarty and Mansur; outfielders, Lynch, Silcox, Foley, O'Brien, Callahan and Barnard.

The Kimball's lineup will be as follows: Desmond C. Curry and Condon P. Clark 1b. Grant 2b. Linnahan 3b. McPherson ss. McSweeney lf. Brennan cf. Chadwick rf. Manager Clark will have several substitutes on hand including Marcotte, Soucy, Harris and Gill.

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## NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Jitney Bill Passes House—Civil  
Service Extension—Other Mat-  
ters of Local Interest

BOSTON, April 28.—The Massachu-  
setts house of representatives, after  
discussing senate amendments to the  
bill to prohibit the practice of law by  
corporations, by a vote of 41 to 1, re-  
fused to concur with the amendment  
to prohibit corporations from prac-  
ticing before any committee of the  
legislature and to strike out the pro-  
hibition on giving legal services or  
advice.

It concurred, however, with the sen-  
ate amendment to punish any official

who violates the act by a fine of not  
more than \$500 and also with the  
amendment exempting from the bill  
any adjustment bureau, any corpora-  
tion lawfully engaged in insurance  
against liability for damages on ac-  
count of injury to persons or property,  
and newspapers answering inquiries  
through their columns and corpora-  
tions which provide legal advice or  
assistance to their employees.

The bill for a two weeks' tour of

duty for the Massachusetts militia was  
passed to be engrossed.

Mr. Drury of Waltham was given  
leave to have printed as a house docu-  
ment a report of the committee on  
taxation analyzing and explaining the  
income tax bill, together with an ap-  
pendix statement by the tax commis-  
sioner.

Mr. Pierce of Greenfield was uncer-  
tain in securing substitution for an  
adverse report of the committee on  
street railways a bill for the enlarge-  
ment of the powers of street railway  
companies.

Jitney Bus Bill Passed

The house passed to be engrossed a  
bill to provide for the regulation by  
cities and towns of the operation of  
jitney buses. Before this action was  
taken the bill was amended to provide  
that it should apply to the operation  
of vehicles between designated ter-  
mini and also that only one bond need  
be filed by the operator.

The house refused, by a rollcall vote  
of 199 to 101, to reconsider its action  
of Wednesday whereby it accepted the  
joint adverse report of the committee  
on public health and agriculture on the  
state department of health's bill to

regulate and supervise the produc-  
tion, sale and distribution of milk.

It substituted for the adverse report  
of the same committee on the Wil-  
liams' milk grading bill a resolution  
to provide for the printing of 5000 copies  
of the report of the state department  
of health's investigation of the milk  
business in Massachusetts.

Consideration was postponed to  
Tuesday of the bill to regulate the  
business of making small loans. When  
the bill comes up an amendment, drawn  
by Assistant Corporation Counsel  
George A. Flynn of Boston, will be  
offered.

The amendment is to meet the ob-  
jections of the Morris plan promoters  
and is designed to permit the Morris  
plan banks to make "paper charges,"  
which, under the original bill, were ex-  
plicitly prohibited. It provides that  
lenders may charge "interest and ex-  
penses" of not more than three per  
cent a month, in the aggregate, on the  
amount actually received by the bor-  
rower.

There were referred to the commit-  
tee on rules a petition of Mayor Cur-  
ley that city of Boston be authorized  
to lay a surface drain across state land  
from Gaffney street to St. Paul street  
and a petition that the town of Mel-  
brook be authorized to incur debt for  
water supply.

Committee Reports

These committee reports were re-  
ceived:

Ways and Means—Ought to pass, bill  
for a juvenile session of the superior  
court. Mr. Fitzgerald of Boston dis-  
sents; bill for improvement by the  
state highway commission of a high-  
way in Plymouth and Bourne; bill to  
authorize the state highway commis-  
sion to acquire land and construct a  
highway in Haver from a point on  
Revere street, at or near its junction  
with the existing state highway, to a  
point at or near Winthrop avenue or  
to a point between Whitcomb avenue  
and Charles Elliot circle, at a cost of  
\$25,000.

Counties—Ought to pass, bill to pro-  
vide for the recovery of damages by  
persons whose property has been in-  
jured by the improvement of river  
road from Southbridge to Webster  
through the town of Dudley; ought  
not to pass, bill giving authority for  
improving any drain and appoint-  
ment of a drain officer.

Public Health—Ought to pass on the  
report of the public service com-  
mission and others relative to  
charges for freight transportation to or  
from piers in South Boston.

Improvement fund to the port of Bos-  
ton fund.

Old Harbor Bill Signed

Gov. McCall has signed the bill to  
provide for the improvement by the  
city of Boston of the old harbor sec-  
tion of Dorchester bay. He presented  
the quill to Representative John L.  
Monahan of South Boston, through  
whose efforts the passage of the mea-  
sure was secured.

The measure provides that the city  
may spend approximately \$600,000,  
which proposition is favored by Mayor  
Curley and the council. It will per-  
mit the dredging of the mud flats so  
that a water-filled basin will exist at  
all stages of tide.

The bill will permit the extension of  
the overflow sewer pipes to meet the  
mean low-water mark. It will bring  
about the reclamation of about 30 acres  
of land available for park and recre-  
ation purposes. There will also be  
constructed a sandy beach along the  
old harbor water front.

THE PHILIPPINE BILL

DEMOCRATIC LEADERS OF HOUSE

CONFIDENT OF PASSAGE OF

MEASURE

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Demo-  
cratic leaders of the house apparent-

ly were confident today of the passage  
of the Philippine independence bill as  
a result of the action of the party caucus  
last night.

The caucus, by a vote of 140 to 35,  
approved the senate bill, although it  
was agreed to permit an amendment  
in the house to the prohibition section  
of the measure. The vote came after  
opponents of the bill had fought vig-  
orously to prevent action. Twenty-  
five members declined to be bound by  
the caucus action.

The bill is to be taken up in the  
house immediately after the passage of  
the agricultural appropriation bill  
which is expected by tomorrow night  
at the latest.

IN THE CANAL ZONE

Army Maneuvers Have Reached An  
Interesting Stage, According to Gen.  
Edwards

PANAMA, April 28.—The army man-  
euvers in the canal zone, undertaken  
on an extensive scale to work out  
problems connected with the defense  
of the Pacific entrance to the canal,  
have reached an interesting stage.

According to Brig-Gen. Clarence E.  
Edwards, commander of the canal  
zone, the maneuvers already have  
demonstrated the feasibility of a hos-  
tile attack overland from either Chama-  
ray or near Aguadulce.

Capt. William B. Pratt, naval aide  
on Gen. Edwards' staff, has asked the  
secretary of the navy to detail a cruiser  
and several submarines to a perma-  
nent station at each end of the canal.

## CLEAN UP

It is time for you to prepare for CLEAN-UP WEEK  
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good weather by then. While doing your part remember  
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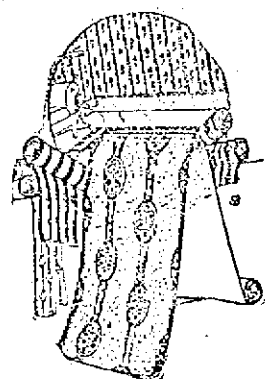
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price.....7c Roll

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tapestries and grass cloth effects, in a large  
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1½ inch Oak Fini-hed Mouldings, worth 2½c  
foot, at.....1½c Foot



# ASQUITH BEATEN CATHOLIC FEDERATION

## Premier Withdraws the Conscription Measure in Parliament

LONDON, April 28.—A bill providing for extension of military service was introduced in the house of commons yesterday, but it aroused such a degree of opposition that the government announced it would not press the measure.

Walter Hume Long, president of the local government board, placed the bill before the house, saying that it was the intention of the government to enlist every unmarried man between the ages of 18 and 41. He said that one month would be allowed before the bill, if passed, went into effect.

### COMMENT BY PAPERS

LONDON, April 28.—The morning newspapers virtually all speak of the situation which has arisen in parliament through the unavoidable reception of the withdrawal of the government's military service bill as a new political crisis. The Daily News' lobby correspondent says:

"The incident shows it is useless for sections of the ministers to agree on a compromise if they have not secured the consent of their respective supporters. The cabinet was deluded by the secret session and assumed that because the plan was not then upset it would afterwards receive the assent of the house. The secret sessions are now condemned even by their authors as absurd and not to be repeated. The alleged compromise obviously satisfies nobody and the cabinet had to withdraw the bill or invite immediate defeat which would have meant its departure from office."

The Daily News notes that the nationalist party have decided to withdraw the support which they hitherto had given to the coalition cabinet and will hold themselves hereafter free to act independently as their own policy dictates.

## FIRM ON SEIZED PAPERS

### STATE DEPARTMENT AND GERMAN EMBASSY AT DEADLOCK—PAPERS MUST BE IDENTIFIED

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The state department and the German embassy apparently are at a deadlock over the disposition of papers seized by agents of the department of justice when they raided the offices in New York of Wolfe von Igel, former secretary to Count von Bernstorff.

The state department is willing to return the papers, as demanded by the German ambassador, if he or some other responsible official of the embassy will identify them as being official.

Count von Bernstorff insists upon having all the documents and refuses personally to identify them unless directed to do so by his government. He has asked the Berlin foreign office for instructions.

Both Count von Bernstorff and John B. Stanchfield, counsel for von Igel in the criminal proceedings against him, called upon Counselor Polk yesterday. The ambassador discussed the case of von Igel informally, but did not ask for the papers. He said later his visit had not changed the situation.

Mr. Stanchfield also engaged in an informal discussion of the case. It was said at the department, however, that Counselor Polk declined to enter into any negotiations with him, on the ground that he was not clothed with diplomatic authority.

Mr. Stanchfield returned to New York yesterday accompanied by von Igel.

Nearly 200,000 women are now being employed in the British munition factories.

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## CALL ISSUED FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN BOSTON ON MAY 14

The call for the annual convention of the Archdiocesan Federation has been issued. It says:

The eighth annual convention of the Catholic Federation of the Archdiocese of Boston is hereby called and will be held in St. Alphonsus hall, Smith street, Roxbury, at 2.30 o'clock, on Sunday afternoon, May 14, 1916. St. Alphonsus hall is located in the rear of the Mission church, off Tremont street and rear Roxbury Crossing.

In accordance with the provisions of the amended constitution of the Archdiocesan Federation this will be a consolidated convention of the officers, the members of the executive boards, and the delegates to the Archdiocesan Federation and the county and district branches thereof in Suffolk, Middlesex, Essex, Norfolk and Plymouth counties, comprising at the present time about 550,000 members.

The following are entitled to be present at the convention as delegates: The officers and members of the executive board and of the standing committees of the Archdiocesan Federation; officers and members of the executive boards of each of the county and district branches of the Federation; delegates-at-large to the Archdiocesan convention elected from and by each of the county and district branches; delegates from the several parishes and Catholic organizations to the conventions of the county and district branches; representatives from the unaffiliated Catholic societies of the archdiocese, including fraternal, social, religious, educational, racial and women's organizations.

The order of business includes: (1) Call for the convention and appointment of committees. (2) Reports of the officers—a review of the work of the Archdiocesan Federation; the county and district branches. (3) Reports of legislative and standing committees. (4) Election of officers for the year. (5) New business. The convention will be governed by the constitution and by laws of the Catholic Federation of the Archdiocese of Boston and the amendments thereto.

Addresses will be made on the legislative and educational work of Federation by President Henry V. Cunningham and representatives of the Catholic organizations and parishes of the state. A message will also be received from His Eminence, William Cardinal O'Connell, honorary president of the Archdiocesan Federation and its spiritual leader.

Admission to the convention will be by the enclosed credentials. These are to be signed by the pastor of the parish or the president of the organization or society represented by the delegates. A general invitation is hereby extended to unaffiliated Catholic organizations to send three delegates to the convention who should be elected by the society or appointed by the president, as the circumstances will permit.

Henry V. Cunningham, Boston, president; Charles T. Daly, secretary; address, Catholic Federation Headquarters, room 44, Globe building, 244 Washington street, Boston, Mass.; Rt. Rev. Mr. M. J. Splaine, P. R., Roxbury, chaplain.

### POSED AS AN HEIR

Man Accused by Woman Who Says He Sold Bonds She Gave Him During Their Engagement

BOSTON, April 28.—A romance came to light yesterday at the trial in the superior criminal court of Archibald D. Sullivan, aged 30, on an indictment accusing him of the larceny of bonds worth \$1050 from Mrs. Agnes F. Dillingham of 107 School street, Jamaica Plain, a school teacher in East Boston.

She entrusted the bonds to him for safe keeping after they had become engaged, she said. By chance she met him in this city in June and he paid marked attention to her, giving her the impression that he was in very comfortable circumstances.

She went to ride with him and he pointed out property, including a \$50,000 estate, which he said he was settling up as administrator of his father's estate.

According to her story, he told her his father was a stevedore and had left about \$200,000 to \$1,000,000.

Evidence was offered that shortly after Mrs. Dillingham turned over the bonds to Sullivan they were sold in New York for \$1200. He disappeared suddenly in August.

His brother, John A. Sullivan of 19 Polk street, Charlestown, said he had not seen the defendant before his arrest in 18 years. He never knew his father had any property at all. His parents rented the house they lived in and never lived in or near a \$50,000 residence.

Sullivan, on the stand, said his father owned no property, that Mrs. Dillingham misunderstood him, but that some one in Fall River was going to leave his father a vast estate. At the last minute, however, it had been left to a clergyman.

## NEW STATE DISTRICTS

### MASS. LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ANNOUNCES PLANS COMPLETED

BOSTON, April 28.—Plans for the redistricting of the state into new congressional and senatorial districts were virtually completed by the legislative redistricting committee yesterday.

The new senatorial districts have been completed except one ward in Cambridge. It is suggested that this be put in the same district with Somerville, but opposition to this has developed. This matter will be settled next week.

It was decided to extend the Cape district as far north as Abington. Brookline will be districted with Brighton and Watertown.

As in the past the councillor districts have been laid out so as to give the democrats but one sure district—that in Boston.

In the first district, Quincy and Weymouth, which have been in the second district, have been added.

Bellingham, Franklin and Hyde Park have also been taken out of the second district, and Watertown and several of the Boston wards have been added. These are the new wards, 16, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26.

The third district is made up of ward 2, East Boston; wards 2 and 4, Charlestown; wards 5 and 8 in the down town section; wards 9, 10 and 11, the new South Boston wards, and wards 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 20 in the South End, Roxbury and Dorchester. Old ward 20 thus will come in the all-Boston district.

The fourth district retains the present wards 10 and 11 and secures in addition wards 3 and 4 in Cambridge. It

loses Brighton, which goes into the second district. The other districts, except the changes mentioned, remain as they are now. Essex and Worcester counties each lose one house member in the

reappointment, while Bristol and Hampden each gain one. All other counties retain the same number of representatives. Except in Suffolk, where a special commission is at work, the

commissioners will do the redistricting as far as representative districts are concerned. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MRS. DONALD McLEAN DYING  
BALTIMORE, Md., April 28.—Mrs. Donald McLean, past president of the Daughters of the American Revolution, early today was said to be sinking

rapidly at the hospital to which she was brought from Norfolk, Va., two weeks ago. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



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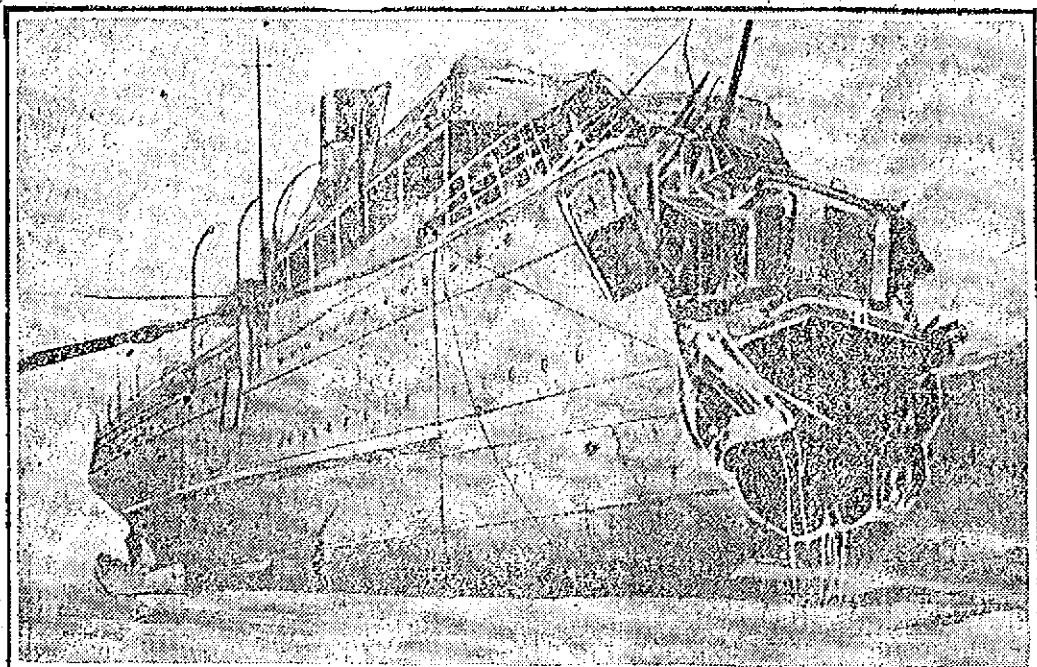
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# SUSSEX EXPLOSION BLEW AWAY WHOLE BOW OF CHANNEL STEAMER



SUSSEX WITH HER BOW BLOWN OFF

The accompanying picture shows the channel steamer Sussex after the explosion on March 24, which killed or injured about 150 passengers, among the injured being several Americans. The Sussex was beached at Boulogne and the great damage done to her by the explosion, which the United States government says was caused by a torpedo from a German submarine, is seen in the picture. All her forward parts were blown away as far as the bridge and only her watertight bulkheads kept her afloat. This is the first photograph showing the extent of the damage to the Sussex to reach this country. The German official report on the attack by a U boat on an "unknown steamer" the same day, hour and place that the attack on the Sussex was made, said that the forward part of the steamer was far off as the bridge was blown away. The Cologne Gazette said a few days ago that the Sussex case is still quite unclear.

## MR. HOVEY'S CONCERT

GROUP OF YOUNG PUPILS GAVE  
FINE PROGRAM IN EDSON HALL  
LAST EVENING

A very delightful and wholly original concert of mandolin, banjo and guitar music was given in Edson hall, St. Anne's parish house, last evening by pupils of William P. Hovey, assisted by the Bluebirds of Boston and Miss Jean Fowler of Pittsburgh, Pa. Miss Helen R. Smith and Miss Grace Fubie, the Bluebirds, sang some exceptionally fine selections and gave folk dances, and Miss Fowler was heard in readings, but the greatest interest of the audience was in the work of Mr. Hovey's pupils who certainly did everything to uphold the reputation he has made as a teacher of stringed instruments. Many of the young

musicians are mere children and their mastery of the instruments at so early an age was the subject of much favorable comment by the large audience present.

There is a witchery about the music of mandolin, banjo and guitar in orchestral efforts that cannot be found in other instruments, and last evening the effect was enchanting. Whether in the slower music of feeling or in the lilt of the tripping pieces heard more often on these strings, the group of students did remarkably well. The various instruments were played in time and tune, and the difference in technique was made the most of so as to bring out effects of feeling. The opening march had a snap and vigor that showed the great possibilities of the musical combination, and the waltzes and more sentimental passages were given with great feeling. Where all played so well, it would be superfluous to pick out any one for special mention, and Mr. Hovey has every reason to feel proud of his pu-

pils. Lowell has long ago discovered his special ability as a teacher, and he never had a class that did better work than that of last evening.

The Bluebirds—Miss Smith, contralto and Miss Ruble soprano—gave great pleasure by their numbers. Their singing of "Passage Birds Farewell" and "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" was beautiful in arrangement and execution, and the dances of Miss Smith were full of grace and spirit. Miss Fowler gave her readings with intelligence and artistry, proving herself one of the most effective readers that Lowell has heard recently.

Following are the pupils of Mr. Hovey who took part: Mandolins, Eunice Cooke, Gracie C. Dexter, Chaucer E. Harris, Arlyne Pratt, Dorothy C. Pevey, Albert S. Redway, Ruth Simpson, Lucy C. Stover, Benjamin L. Whittier, Muriel R. Crompton, Charles Fairbanks, Sarah Neigs, E. Sterling Pratt, Arthur G. Pollard, second; Jack Sawyer, Olga Shay, Holland A. Stevens; banjos, Harry M. Boardman, Marce H. Pratt, Charles L. Stover, Jr., Howard Pratt, Harry G. Pollard, Jr., J. Milton Washburn; guitars, Katherine L. Carmichael, Victoria Mann, E. Martha Sheppard, John M. Greene, Helen L. Pratt, Ames Stevens. The ushers were Frederick G. Kileski, Douglas R. Buchanan, Ralph R. McIlhenny and Allyn Morse.

The program follows:

a—March, Red Rover.....Weidt  
b—Molly Dear.....Petitier  
Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar  
Orchestra

Duet, Passage Birds Farewell, Hildach  
Misses Ruble and Smith  
Banjo Duet, A Darktown Intermezzo,  
Harry G. Pollard, Jr., Chas. L. Stover, Jr.,  
Miss Edith Martha Sheppard at the Piano

Reading, The Woe of Miss Wopnet, Field

Miss Fowler  
Contralto Solo, Carmenita Waltz Song, Wilson

Guitar Solo:  
a—Melodia Espanola.....Arr. Romero  
b—German Air.....Arr. Hayden

Miss Victoria Mann  
Dance, Narcissus—Caprice, Vienna Music, Kreisler

Miss Smith  
Endymion Waltz.....Smith  
Mandolin and Guitar Orchestra

Soprano Solo, Japanese Love Song, Thomas

Miss Ruble  
Reading, The Pleading, May Isabelle Fisk

Miss Fowler  
Dance, Pierrot.....Miss Smith

Guitar Quintet, Mazurka.....Rosen  
Misses Carmichael, Mann, Pratt, Sheppard and Mr. Hovey

Duet, Somewhere a Voice is Calling, Tate

Misses Ruble and Smith  
March, Colored Guards.....Weidt  
Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar  
Orchestra

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A busy meeting of Highland council, Royal Arcanum, was held last evening with a large attendance. A communication was read from Arcanum council, of North Cambridge, announcing that the members would visit Highland council as soon as possible. Luncheon was served and what was enjoyed. It was announced that at the next meeting of the council, on May 11, Dr. Charles E. Simpson of the state board of health will give a lecture on "The Man and the Microbe."

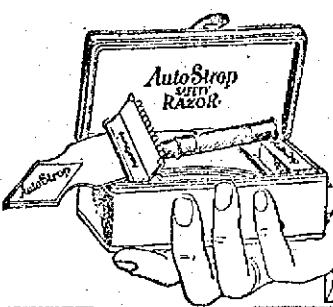
Spindle City Lodge, 25 Independent Companions of America, met last evening in regular session in Post 120 hall. Several applications for membership were received and acted upon and three new members were initiated. Remarks were made by Supreme President Mrs. Clara McNeill.

DISCUSS INTERNATIONAL LAW  
WASHINGTON, April 28.—Perplexing questions which have arisen between the belligerents and neutrals as a result of the European war formed the themes of discussion at today's session of the American Society of International law.

## BERLIN MARKET FIRM

FEELING OF CONFIDENCE THAT  
THREATENED BREAK WITH U. S.  
WILL BE AVERTED

BERLIN, April 28, via London, April 27. (United Press)—A feeling of confidence that a solution will be found to the pending German-American difficulties, and that the present tension will be ended, exerted an evident influence on the Berlin stock exchange today. The market was quiet, but firm and dealers who yesterday unloaded various lines of stocks were today repurchasing. No tangible developments upon which this confidence is based are yet evident and the situation so far as it can be ob-



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served has changed little in the last 24 hours.

The chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg and Admiral von Holtzendorff, chief of the naval general staff, are now at the general headquarters, but no immediate decision is expected to come from there on the general issue.

Ambassador Gerard has not received the additional instructions from Washington which are heralded in the newspaper despatches. Their arrival undoubtedly will contribute toward a settlement. Not the least of the difficulties in the way of reaching an understanding is the restricted channel of communication between Washington and Berlin. Ambassador von Bernstorff is unable to communicate with his government except in open cipher and no supplementary information on the situation in Washington is available here. A high German statesman said to the correspondent of The Associated Press this afternoon:

"No, we have no news and Ambassador Gerard, I understand, has none either. This fact makes negotiations extremely difficult. We have as yet taken no decision and do not wish to take them in the absence of further information."

The statesman did not wish to discuss the possibilities of a settlement, but so far as could be judged from his manner, he was not discouraged except by the fact that he and his colleagues were forced to work more or less in the dark.

## POST OFFICE BLOWN UP

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IN DOZEN YEARS

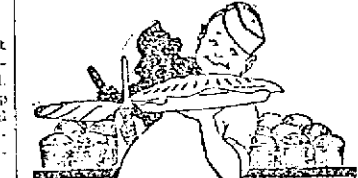
BOWDOINHAM, Me., April 28.—The local post office, which has been burglarized at least seven times the past dozen years, was badly wrecked today by three explosions and robbed of postal funds and stamps to the value of several hundred dollars. Three men were seen to leave the building by Timothy Sullivan over whom one of the trio stood guard nearly an hour after he had fired a shot to frighten them away immediately after the first explosion. Millay apparently was the only person who heard the explosions. A post office inspector a few hours later began an investigation.

## ATTACKED PRES. WILSON

GOVERNMENT AGENTS ARREST  
H. B. STILZ, FORMERLY A NAVY  
YARD DRAUGHTSMAN

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—Government agents made known today that they have under arrest H. B. Stilz, formerly a draughtsman at the Philadelphia navy yard, who is accused of distributing a pamphlet attacking President Wilson. Stilz, it is alleged, wrote a letter to President Wilson several months ago of such a character as to cause the draughtsman's dismissal from the navy yard. After his discharge, it is alleged, he began the distribution of the pamphlet. Stilz was arrested last night at a hall, where a great bazaar is being held for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the central European powers.

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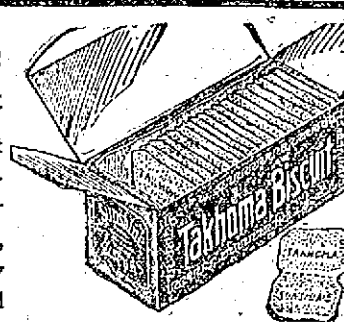
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13c Can Table PEARS, can 9c | Alaska Pink SALMON, can 8c | 13c Can Table PEACHES, can 10c

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BUNCH BEETS, lb. 10c | BEEF SAUSAGE, lb. 10c | TABLE APPLES, doz. 10c

BUTTER BEANS, qt. 10c | MINCED HAM, lb. 10c | CHAPPELITE, 3 for 10c

RIPE TOMATOES, lb. 10c | PRESERVED HAM, lb. 10c | BLOOD ORANGES, doz. 10c

GREEN BEANS, qt. 10c | POLISH SAUSAGE, lb. 10c | SPANISH ORANGES, doz. 10c

GREEN PEAS, qt. 10c | BLACK PUDDINGS, lb. 10c | GRAPEFRUIT, each 10c

CHICKEN, lb. 10c | PRESERVED CORN BEEF, lb. 10c | LARGE NAVELS, doz. 10c

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SQUASH, lb. 10c | BOILED HAM, lb. 10c | POUND CAKE, lb. 10c

SPINACH, lb. 10c | ROAST PORK, lb. 10c | BUTTER-THINS, lb. 10c

VEGETABLES, pk. 10c | ROAST PORK, lb. 10c | GEORGIA SLIMS, lb. 10c

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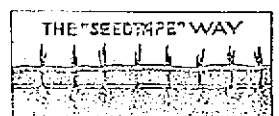
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## ON HALE'S BROOK

Gov. McCall Signs Resolve Directing State Board to Investigate

Special to 'The Sun'

STATE HOUSE, Boston, April 27.—Gov. McCall affixed his signature today to the resolve directing the state department of health to investigate the condition of Hale's or Meadow brook in Lowell, with a view to recommending to the next legislature the steps which should be taken in order to improve its sanitary condition. The resolve carries no appropriation, the department having agreed to meet the cost of the investigation out of its regular appropriation.

## CHELMSFORD ST. BRIDGE

BOSTON & MAINE OFFICIALS REPLY TO THE LOWELL BOARD OF TRADE

The officials of the Boston & Maine railroad, who were recently interviewed by a delegation of the Lowell board of trade in reference to changing the plans for an unsightly fence at the new bridge which is being built over the railroad tracks in Chelmsford street, have replied that they cannot afford to erect an ornamental fence, but if the city of Lowell or interested parties are willing to defray the expenses, which will amount to about \$325, the company will erect the fence.

A copy of the letter sent to President Marden of the board of trade is as follows: Boston, Mass., April 27, 1916. Mr. Robert Marden, President Board of Trade, Lowell, Mass.

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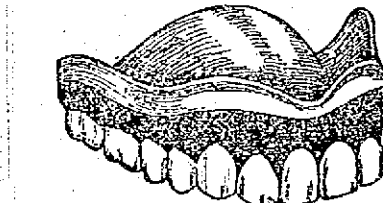
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## LOWELL MATHEWS LOST

AGAIN DEFEATED BY BILLERICA SOCIETY IN TOURNAMENT—SCORE 11 TO 8

Just to show the members of the Mathew Temperance Institute of this city that their victory in the recent tournament was no "accident", the Mathews of Billerica repeated the performance in a tournament held at their well appointed quarters in North Billerica last evening. The city lads went out for revenge last night, and they put up a great battle, their "country cousins" proved a little too fast for the Lowellites, and when the final scores were computed, it was seen that Lowell came out on the short end of a 11 to 8 score.

When the Billerica contingent came to Lowell about one month ago, the tournament resulted in a 10 to 9 score, and the closeness of both meetings indicates that the teams are pretty evenly matched.

The Lowell boys went into the games last night with an advantage, they had won the previous match rolled off, but this little thing did not affect the suburbanites. On the contrary they sat out immediately to wipe out this lead, and before the tournament was in progress many minutes the Lowell men realized that they were up against strong opposition.

The features of the tournament were the pitch and whist games. When the time for playing expired, the were announced in both events. As a result, special games were necessary and in both contests the Billerica boys were victorious. The results for the evening were then announced as follows:

Bowling: Billerica 1, Lowell 3; checkers: Billerica 1, Lowell 0; pitch: Billerica 3, Lowell 1; crib: Billerica 1, Lowell 0; pool: Billerica 1, Lowell 0; whist: Billerica 4, Lowell 1. Totals, Billerica 11, Lowell 8.

Following the tournament, all repaired to the assembly hall, where after an address of welcome by Pres. Joseph O'Brien of North Billerica, an informal musical program was carried out with members of both societies contributing. Among those who participated were Harry Welch, Warren Kane, Edward Riley, John Spillane, Frank Clark, George Bunton and William H. Sullivan. Pres. William Carey, of the Lowell society, gave a brief but interesting address on Fr. Mathew. During the evening, refreshments were served and cigars smoked. At the conclusion of the musical number, Pres. O'Brien called for three cheers for the Lowell society, and later the guests reciprocated.

At 11:30 o'clock, the Lowell boys boarded their special car and arrived home at midnight. The arrangements for the tournament were in charge of Pres. O'Brien, Carl Delchanty and Thomas Riley of Billerica, while the local plans were directed by Pres. Carey, Patrick Nestor, Patrick Kane, Edward Draper and Thomas Durkin.

## WANT SWIMMING PLACES

LETTER FROM WATERWAYS COMMITTEE TO MAYOR O'DONNELL SEEKING A CONFERENCE

Mayor O'Donnell is in receipt of the following communication from the committee on waterways:

April 23, 1916. Hon. James E. O'Donnell, City Hall, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Mayor: The committee on waterways requests that the council invite representatives of the Locks & Canals to a conference together with this committee to arrange for two places within the thickly settled portions of the city to be set apart as swimming places, at proper times and under suitable supervision.

The committee would prohibit swimming in the canals except at the places designated and at stated hours. The hours would be limited to the time when the canal gates were closed and no current running. Upon investigation, the committee would suggest a spot in the Northern canal near Cheever street opposite Tucker street, and another near the spot where the Merrimack canal leads off from the Pawtucket canal, near Jackson street. These spots should be under supervision of an officer, detailed there for swimming hours. Life saving apparatus should be installed, and some temporary dressing quarters, perhaps of canvas, erected. The consent of the Locks & Canals is of course necessary.

The committee again calls attention to its request for places bearing quotations from the proposed ordinance for posting near the apparatus, which should be located as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted, Jackson Palmer, Chairman, Harry W. J. Howe, Frank A. Warnock.

## THE MEN'S FRATERNITY

STATE PRISON CHAPLAIN CONTRADICTS STORIES ABOUT JESSE POMEROY

At the conclusion of a month's membership campaign of the Men's Fraternity of the First Congregational church, 30 new members were admitted. The reports were made at a meeting held last evening. The team headed by Arthur C. Bartlett, brought in 47 new members and John Chalmers' boys followed with 43 applicants. Charles O. Hall of the Bartlett team won the individual prize by securing 24 members. He was presented a silver loving cup.

Besides Mr. Hall, other members who brought in new members were: Otis W. Butler, eight; Arthur C. Bartlett, seven; A. P. Sarre, four; F. C. Lawrence, three; C. N. Bixby, two, and R. B. Robinson, one.

Mr. Chalmers headed his team with a total of 15, the others bringing in the following numbers: John A. Osgood, eight; H. R. Hanson, seven; V. E. Willmott, three, and Robert S. Fulton, George Garland, Walter H. Hoyt, Orville Robinson and Romie Wood, two each.

At the next meeting of the fraternity, the state secretary, Mr. Chalmers and his team will supply both the supper and the entertainment for the entire fraternity, that being the understanding with respect to the looting team when the contest was started.

After the business meeting, Rev. William B. Whitney, Protestant chaplain of the state prison, in Charles town, gave an interesting illustrated talk upon prison life. His stereopticon views, which are the property of the state, can only be shown by him or by Rev. Michael J. Murphy, the

Roman Catholic chaplain of the prison.

In his opening Rev. Mr. Whitney said that between \$500,000 and \$600,000 is spent annually in the United States to look after the criminals, while this year, in Massachusetts alone, \$10,000,000 will be expended. This will make the largest single item

expended in the state for any one thing, besides the schools. Last year there were arrested in Massachusetts 177,000 persons, although not all of these were sent to any institution whatever, many being placed on probation.

The speaker paid a tribute to Ward Allen, Deputy Hendry and Fr. Murphy for their exceedingly good work at the prison.

Mr. Whitney characterized many of the published stories about Jesse Pomerooy, the lifer, as being absolutely false. He said that Pomerooy was committed when 14 years of age, and that he has now been in the prison 42 years. In that time he has learned

to read and write eight different languages, writes excellent prose and verse, and is a constant contributor to the prison paper, writing under the nom de plume of "Grandpa." He said that the story about Pomerooy torturing cats which had been taken to his cell was without any foundation. As a matter of fact, cats fre-

quently go to his cell and they are petted by Pomerooy and always been. Otis W. Butler operated the cat opticon.

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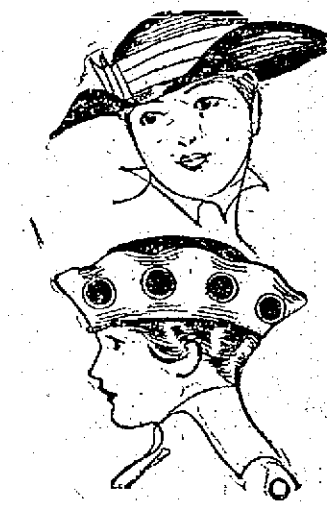
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## Special in Cut Glass

7 PIECE WATER SET—Three pint water pitcher with six tumblers, cut and etched. Regular value 3.00 set. Specially priced.....\$1.98

## Sanitol Special

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1 Box Paste Powder 25c and 1 Box Talcum Powder 15c. Regular price 40c. Specially priced.....26c

West Section—Right Aisle



## A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

With the influence of the wonderful demonstration in transcontinental telephoning given at the board of trade dinner Wednesday evening still upon me, I read with more than ordinary interest the following which appeared in "The Sun" of just quarter of a century ago:

"Phonographic messages from Cardinal Manning to Cardinal Gibbons and Thomas A. Edison have been received by the Edison Phonograph company, at their offices in the Miles building, New York. The phonograms are to be sent to the cardinal and Mr. Edison this week. When they have reached them the messages are to be made public. Cardinal Manning also talked into another phonograph in London when he spoke the messages for Cardinal Gibbons and Mr. Edison. What he said will not be heard until after his death."

Only 25 years ago this was considered the greatest achievement of the times, and the holding back of the record into which Cardinal Manning spoke until after his death was widely referred to as a wonderful triumph of science in being able to preserve the sound of the voice of a famous character even after his death, so that hundreds who had not been born when he was on earth could hear him speak just as he did when at the height of his activity. And in writing this I am reminded that long after William Jennings Bryan and William F. Thornton have gone to their respective rewards, that famous "Cross of Gold" speech with applause from the multitude, included, will be heard by thousands in uniform through the medium of the phonograph.

The phonographic record today is considered a very ordinary thing compared with some of the inventions that have since been put into practical use.

## Mr. Burrage at First Demonstration

One of the most interesting features of the demonstration, Wednesday evening, was the conversation over the wire between Mr. Hamilton Burrage, of Gorham street, and his son Otis, who is in San Francisco. Mr. Burrage, who has long since passed three score and ten, has a remarkably fine memory and recalls vividly the first demonstration of

the telephone in Lowell, when Mr. A. Graham Bell and his associate, Mr. Watson, spoke to each other over the wire, the former on the stage in Huntington hall, in this city, and the latter in Boston. This demonstration took place in the latter part of 1876, the first conversation over a wire between two cities having been held between Boston and Cambridge on Oct. 9 of that year, followed on Nov. 26 of the same year by the "first long distance" telephone message, the "long distance" being 18 miles, between Boston and Salem. Speaking of the demonstration in Huntington hall, 40 years ago, Mr. Burrage said: "While I can't recall the exact date, I recall the occasion vividly. The first that I ever knew about the existence of such a thing as a telephone was when I read in the paper that a demonstration of telephoning between Lowell and Boston was to be given in Huntington hall. I went there and found the hall packed with people. Suspended from the ceiling were three large receivers, and from these the entire audience collectively heard the conversation that ensued between Mr. Watson in Boston, and Mr. Bell, on the stage, in front of us. I assure you it filled the entire audience with wonder. I could hear very distinctly though there were no individual receivers at that time. The incidents connected with the demonstration of 40 years ago, came back to me vividly on Wednesday evening when it was my happy privilege to talk to my son 'way across the continent and to hear and recognize his voice as though we were near by. It was a wonderful demonstration."

## Abolishing the Council

Although the present charter, which abolished the lower branch of the city council, or common council did not come until 1912, it was 25 years ago while Mayor Fifield was in office, that an agitation was started to abolish the lower branch, and the Sun took it up about the same time that Mayor Fifield declared himself as strongly in favor of the single branch. Both party machines, or city committees, and the political clubs of both parties, opposed the idea, and continued their opposition effectively, for years afterward, and hence it took 21 years to bring about this important change in the form of government. The common council has been out of existence for four years, and it is no exaggeration to state that hardly a citizen can be found, if any at all, who would return to the old two branch form of government. Some believe in a larger board of aldermen while others believe that the aldermen should be elected by wards rather than at large, or both by ward and at large, but one never hears of any sentiment favoring a return to the system of days gone by when there were both aldermen and councilmen. An editorial in The Sun of quarter of a century ago read as follows:

"It will be a miracle if Mayor Fifield survives the onslaught of the democratic club on account of his proposal to abolish the common council which the club cherishes as a school for the development of political capacity. The existence of the club is perhaps as precarious as that of the mayor and both may live to see the extinction of the common council."

Mayor Fifield lived to see the extinction of the lower branch, and likewise the extinction of the democratic club, referred to. Speaking of old time democratic clubs and influences, here's another from The Sun of quarter of a century ago:

"The Sunday Critic has been purchased, it is reported, for \$800, by John P. Murphy, William F. Courtney, Daniel J. Donahue, P. J. Murphy and a few others. It will be conducted as a democratic sheet in state and

national politics, but strictly independent or "go-as-you-please" in city politics. The Sunday Critic after a brief career became the Sunday Arena."

## THE OLD TIMER.

## STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

CORPORAL FRANCIS J. HAGGERTY OF CO. M WINNER IN PRIZE DRILL HELD LAST NIGHT

Sergeant Charles J. Johnson, of Company D, Eighth Infantry, of Lynn, was proclaimed winner of the state championship drill at the local armory last evening, while Corp. Francis J. Haggerty, former major of the O.M.L. Cadets and now a member of Company M, Ninth Infantry, was awarded second prize. The affair was held under the auspices of the Second Battalion, Sixth Regiment and proved to be the most interesting event conducted at



CORP. F. J. HAGGERTY, Winner of 2d Prize

the local armory for a long time. Invitations had been sent to all companies of the National Guard in this state and several responded. The program of the evening included a band concert by Tabor's Sixth Regiment band and athletic and military features by the members of the local companies.

The drill was carried out in the large drill shed, which was packed to the doors by visitors and guests. His Excellency, Gov. McCall, being represented by Major Kingsley Burham and Lieut. W. C. MacBryne, the latter of this city, and both members of the governor's staff. Other guests included: Capt. Ralph McCoy, U.S.A., Capt. J. R. McGuinness, U.S.A., of Boston, Lieut. B. E. Gray, U.S.A., of Boston, who judged the prize drill, and Capt. Duncan H. Stewart of Company H, Stoneham; Capt. Walter Beeman, Company B, Sixth, Fitchburg, and Lieut. Thomas H. Mansfield and Geo. Prescott of Co. I, Sixth, Concord.

The program opened with a concert by the band under the able direction of Z. I. Rissonette and at the close of the musical numbers Capt. Walter

R. Joyce of Company G announced the prize drill of the state championship, and about 50 men representing various companies throughout the state were marched to the centre of the floor. The drill was conducted by Sergt. Guy Brotherson, U.S.A. and the soldiers were put through all sorts of maneuvers. Later the men were marched off the floor and the third event was announced as a boxing exhibition between Privates Leo Pope and Wm. Caveney and the two men supplied great enjoyment. Following the bout the participants in the championship drill, which had been reduced to 23 were again marched to the floor and put through more difficult feats.

Next came a contortionist stunt by Private Joseph Thifault of Company G, which proved very interesting. The prize drillers numbering five this time, were again brought forward and after being put through several difficult evolutions, were ordered off the floor, and the next thing on the program was a bayonet drill in which the members of the four local companies competed. Several other company drills were held with Sergt. Brotherson in charge and these were for company prizes. A minstrel entertainment under the direction of Lieut. S. R. Waller of Company G proved most enjoyable while a tin-cup fight between Privates John Alexander and John Kearns of Company K developed no end of laughter. A wrestling exhibition was also given by Priv. Phillip of Company K and Private Flynn of Company H, Stoneham. The final event was a dress parade in which all the local companies participated. At the close of the program Mayor James E. O'Donnell presented prizes as follows:

## Individual Drill

First prize, silver shaving set. Won by Sergt. Charles J. Johnson, Co. D, Eighth Infantry.

Second prize, silver loving cup. Won by Corp. Francis J. Haggerty, Co. M, Ninth Infantry.

Third prize, silver loving cup. Won by Sergt. Floyd F. Wheaton, Co. L, Sixth Infantry.

Fourth prize, silver loving cup. Won by Corp. Howard Akery, Co. G, Sixth Infantry.

Fifth prize, silver loving cup. Won by Corp. George E. Miller, Co. H, Sixth Infantry.

## Bayonet Drill

First prize, Co. M, Ninth Infantry.

Second prize, Co. C, Sixth Infantry.

Third prize, Co. G, Sixth Infantry.

Fourth prize, Co. K, Sixth Infantry.

Prize Winners (Extended Order Drill).

First—Co. K, Sixth Infantry.

Second—Co. G, Sixth Infantry.

Third—Co. C, Sixth Infantry.

Fourth—Co. M, Ninth Infantry.

Prize Winners (Tent Pitching)

First—Co. K, Sixth Infantry.

Second—Co. G, Sixth Infantry.

Third—Co. C, Sixth Infantry.

Physical Drill

First—Company C.

Second—Company G.

Third—Company K.

Fourth—Company L.

The entire drill, representing every regiment in the state, were as follows:

Coast Artillery Corps

Fourth Company of New Bedford—Sergt. Richard Boyle, Corp. Joseph E. Kelley.

Twelfth Company of Fall River—Sergt. Arthur A. Whalley, Sergt. Ernest Pantom.

Second Infantry, M. V. M.

Company I of Northampton—Corp. Edwin C. Clark.

Second Infantry, M.V.M.

Company A of Charlestown—Corp. Lester A. Porter, Corp. Melvin A. Patterson.

Company B of Charlestown—First Sergt. Edwin Hansen, Sergt. Lincoln Brown Jr.

Company G of Woburn—Sergt. P. Shea, Priv. P. Hogan.

Sixth Infantry, M.V.M.

Company A of Wakefield—Musician Carl I. Cheever, Priv. Gray E. Breckbank.

Company C of Lowell—Sergt. H. H. Wier, J. L. Sullivan.

Company G of Lowell—Sergt. Edward E. Deslandes, Corp. Howard Akery.

Company H of Stoneham—Sergt. George H. Hassell, Corp. George H. Miller, Jr.

Company I of Concord—Sergt. Joseph L. Mansfield, Corp. John C. Dolan.

Company K of Lowell—A. T. Dyer, J. H. Arnold.

Company M of Milford—Sergt. John W. Powers, Corp. Thomas F. Byrne.

Company L of Boston—Sergt. L. Berkeley, Sergt. Floyd F. Wheaton.

Machine Gun Company of Quincy—Sergt. F. M. Chubbuck, Sergt. L. S. Wilcox.

Eighth Infantry

Company B of Everett—Corp. J. E. Blake.

Company D of Lynn—Sergt. Charles J. Johnson, Q. M. Sergt. H. Walter Durgin.

Company F of Haverhill—Sergt. George W. Hefferan, Sergt. John F. Peaslee.

Company G of Gloucester—Corp. George W. Gardner, Priv. James F. Philbrick.

Company I of Lynn—Sergt. B. C. Kennon, Corp. A. W. Ingalls.

Machine Gun Company of Cambridge—Sergt. N. B. Grigg, Corp. S. A. Cook.

Ninth Infantry, M.V.M.

Company D of Boston—Sergt. Vincent C. Breen, Sergt. Albert J. O'Neill.

Company M of Lowell—Corp. Francis Haggerty, Priv. W. E. Kirk.

Company L of Natick—Corp. Joseph M. Driscoll.

## GREAT HAVOC IN VERDUN

PARIS, April 28.—The extent of the havoc wrought in Verdun during the fighting of the last few weeks is pictured by Gaston Deschamps, a war correspondent of the Temps in yesterday's issue of that paper.

"Entering the remnants of the famous old cathedral," he says, "one was fairly confounded by the enormous havoc wrought by the bombardment. Even the huge mosaic paving stones were wrenched into masses of debris. Columns and pillars are broken into fragments, rich candelabras and busts reduced to bits, and the carved pulpit and sculptured railing around the chancel are lying in shapeless piles."

"Near the cathedral is the monastery, whose sculptured walls were famous as a 15th century masterpiece. All these have now been reduced to masses of rubbish."

"The bishop's palace also is in ruins. One of its chief beauties consisted of the sculptured mural decorations representing the River Meuse in symbolic manner. These decorations have been literally hacked to pieces by the shells, as though some burlesque Hercules had used a giant hammer to crush these exquisitely delicate bits of sculpture."

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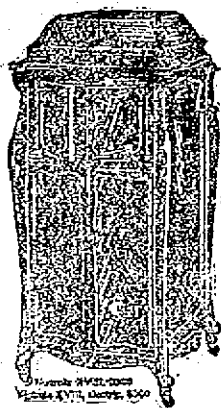
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## BOY HELD ON SUSPICION

Boston Police Believe They Have Young "Bandit"—Woman Says He Was One Who Robbed Her Store

BOSTON, April 28.—Warren J. Driscoll, 15, who claims to live at 5 Wendell street, South Boston, was arrested on suspicion last evening in Brookline street, Cambridge, by Sergt.

Aberle and Patrolman O'Connell and taken to the Central square station, where he was questioned regarding recent robberies in Boston, especially those in Brighton. From what he said the police believed that he might have been the "boy bandit" concerned in the case of Mrs. Nora Cleary, forced to surrender \$5 from her cash drawer at the point of a revolver in her store early Tuesday morning.

The Brighton police brought Mrs. Cleary to the station, where, it is said, she positively identified Driscoll as the young man who had robbed her. The police also think that he is one of the two men that held up and robbed, Wednesday evening, Michael Gray in Allston and relieved him of his gold watch. Driscoll was taken in charge by the police of the Brighton station.

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## EDUCATING IMMIGRANTS

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J. Mahoney, principal of the Lowell State Normal school, who stated its purpose. He said he hoped its specific outcome would be the organization of some work here that would make for the more efficient instruction of the foreigner in the evening school. He said that the problem involved transcends the limit of a teacher's function, for it involves the Americanization of the immigrant, which is just as important as preparedness, health, and the fight against tuberculosis, or any other social movement.

Mayor James E. O'Donnell

In introducing Mayor James E. O'Donnell, the chairman extended him a special welcome and paid him a pretty compliment. He said the city of Lowell was to be congratulated in having a mayor big enough to appreciate the fact that the subject of such a meeting concerns all of the citizens over which he presides.

"The mayor thanked Mr. Mahoney for his most cordial expression and said he was pleased to participate in a meeting that meant so much to the community. "We have a good educational system in Lowell," he said, "and we have been quite successful along educational lines. But we have this great problem of educating people from foreign shores and this is the problem in which you are interested tonight. The evening school is the institution in which you are particularly interested at this time for it is the evening school that takes care of the non-English speaking people, anxious to acquire at least a working knowledge of the English language and who are employed during the day. It has very well been said that a great deal depends upon the teacher and I think that the women who teach in our evening schools are very efficient. But I think that the idea of bringing those teachers together at this meeting will be of great advantage to them and to the evening school. We may have more non-English speaking people coming to our shores after the war and it will be incumbent upon us to have schools to accommodate them. The only way to make good citizens out of the strangers who come to us is to educate them. I look upon this meeting tonight as a very important one and I feel certain that after definite plans have been formulated you will go along smoothly with a work that will make for the

betterment of the community as a whole."

Commissioner Snedden

Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education, was the next and principal speaker. He talked very interestingly and said that in order to succeed with the work in hand it was necessary to enlist an active public interest and a spirit of hearty and vital co-operation. He said in part:

It is the aim and purpose of this conference especially to discuss the improvement of certain forms of education for persons over 16 years of age, who must work during the day and whose only opportunities for education are to be found in evening schools. We now recognize several distinct forms of evening school education. For men and women already in industrial callings, the state and city combine to support various forms of definite education, the state and city combine to support various forms of definite education, the state and city combine to support various forms of definite education.

For others who are at work, the city offers, or can offer, evening classes in commercial subjects, instrumental drawing, foreign language, shop mathematics, and the like. Then, too, some cities offer in evening schools the regular high school subjects for those desiring to extend their general education or to fit themselves for college.

In large cities we also find developing new evening classes for physical training, and physical education. School houses are used for recreation centers, offering a large variety of attractive and useful means of instruction and diversion.

Finally, many cities have systematically undertaken to develop special forms of evening instruction adapted especially to those adults—who, having been born abroad of non-English speaking parents, are in need of opportunities to acquire a knowledge of oral and written English, and of civic principles and practices of our social life.

Unfortunately, as regards this form of education, we Americans still fall short at many points. We have no sound policies of support, supervision, purposes, or methods yet formulated. Many of us still think that in offering it we are chiefly conferring a favor upon the immigrant. Many persons think that the whole burden of the support of evening instruction for immigrants should be borne by the community in which they reside—as though the community that presents opportunities to them for work and residence should be penalized therefor. Many

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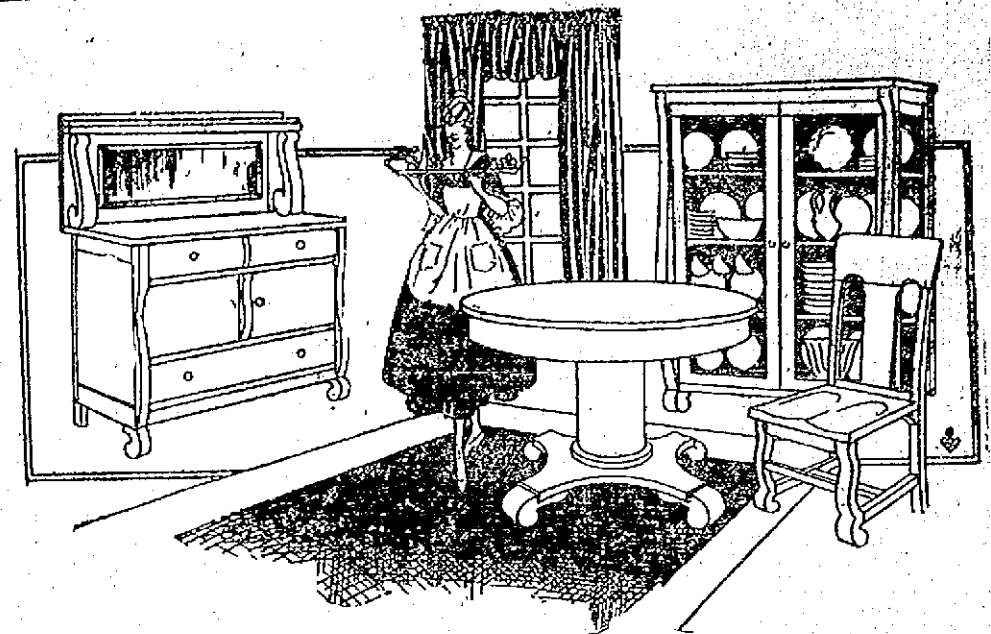
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Studying, traveling, trying to find ways and means whereby we can be made more truly helpful to the undecided home furnisher has developed this store service widely in the matter of character in furniture. For example, look at the picture above. Does it not reveal individuality and distinction as applied to furniture for the dining room?

We aim to make this a "different" furniture store—to place it in a class distinguished by "different" features from those found elsewhere. Let us tell you briefly about the furniture depicted:

## COLONIAL DESIGN

## GOLDEN OAK OR SOLID MAHOGANY

- DINING TABLE—Round top, measuring 45 inches, 6-foot extension, dull or polish finish, heavy platform base. Special price—  
Golden Oak.....\$16.50 | Mahogany.....\$23.00
- BUFFET—48-inch top, large French plate mirror, lined silver drawer, finished interior. Special price—  
Golden Oak.....\$25.00 | Mahogany.....\$44.00
- CHINA CLOSET—65 inches high, 40 inches wide, one plate glass mirror back, swell front, straight glass ends. Special price—  
Golden Oak.....\$24.50 | Mahogany.....\$46.50
- CHAIRS—Chair as shown in wood seat, \$2.50; genuine leather, slip seat to match. Special price—  
Golden Oak.....\$3.50 | Mahogany.....\$5.00
- OTHER ROUND DINING TABLES, Oak or Mahogany.....\$10.00 to \$65.00  
OTHER CHINA CLOSETS, Oak or Mahogany.....\$14.00 to \$55.00  
OTHER BUFFETS, Oak or Mahogany.....\$16.50 to \$75.00  
OTHER DINING CHAIRS, Oak or Mahogany.....\$1.75 to \$14.00

## GOOKIN FURNITURE CO., Prescott St.

## A Steady Stream of Customers

TO OUR THREE DAYS' REDUCTION OF

## Coats, Suits AND Dresses SUITS

\$13.75, \$16.75, \$19.75

A \$5.00 saving on each suit paid by the manufacturer.

200 Coats at \$8.98 and \$12.98

They are the swiftest coats of the season.

SILK DRESS SALE \$13.75, \$15.00, \$18.75

A Complete Stock

\$27.50 DRESSES, one and two of a kind. Labor troubles in New York is the only reason that could allow such a fine lot of dresses at these prices.

Don't fail to visit our CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT. It is all alive with nifty Coats and Dresses for the little ones.

CHERRY &amp; WEBB

New York Cloak and Suit Store

12-18 JOHN STREET

75 DOZ. NEW WAISTS

\$3 values, at special price of.....\$1.98  
Lingerie, Crepe and Silk Stripes.

persons think that anyone can teach English to foreigners, not realizing that to make such teaching really effective requires no less exacting training and pedagogical principles than any other complicated form of education.

I think most persons who have given careful study to the problems of the education of adult immigrants are substantially agreed as to the principles stated below:

a. The primary purpose in providing opportunities for the education of immigrants whom we have in effect welcomed to this country, whom we in effect invite to become in due season citizens, and whom we count as valuable contributors to the economic well-being of the nation, should be to Americanize them—that is, to bring them into sympathetic and effective relationship, even co-partnership, with our best American ideals, standards, and practices of civic, social, economic and educational life. We should give the education at least as much of its own interests as in the interests of the recent immigrant—but, in any case chiefly in the interests of our country, our posterity, democracy. It is to be regarded as a wise and humane form of preparedness.

b. The burden of the support of education for adult immigrants should not fall alone on the local community or even on the state which by chance becomes their first abiding place. The benefits of immigration affect the nation as a whole; the responsibilities for the proper assimilation—Americanization—of immigrants should be assumed in part by the nation, in part by the state, in part by the local community.

For the present it may not be expedient to provide national aid; hence the state should generously co-operate with the local area in providing financial aid for evening schools for adults needing instruction in English and other proper subjects. c. Classes for adult immigrants should be provided in small as well as large communities. The present policy of providing them only in large cities is shortsighted in the extreme.

d. Except, possibly in the largest cities, programs of education for recent immigrants should be under supervision of state, and perhaps eventually, of national authorities. Proper oversight of expenditures of state and national funds, as well as effective administration and supervision, can only be assured by some sort of central oversight.

e. The education of foreign-born adults in English language and in civics constitutes the largest single task of these evening schools. It is safe to assume that methods of instruction in these subjects adapted to older and even fully adult learners have not been satisfactorily worked out except in a few instances. A large amount of study, even research, is required here.

f. Teachers for evening schools must still be procured largely on a part-time basis—that is, they must consist of persons who are also employed during the day, perhaps in professions unrelated to teaching. Ideally, teachers should be employed by the school authorities to teach a specified number of hours per week, irrespective of the fact that these hours might fall in day time or evening. For example, let it be assumed that 30 hours actual instruction per week is found to be a fair requirement.

Then the program of teacher A might include 24 hours day service and six hours evening service; of teacher B, 36 hours day school service; and of teacher C, 20 hours day school service and 10 hours evening school service.

Practically, we do not seem quite ready for a program of this character yet. So we employ people for our evening schools on the basis of extra time and extra pay—a form of overtime service in any case, and not fully calculated to procure the previous preparation, concentration and professional devotion that the situation requires.

Nevertheless, we can accomplish much under the plan. Some evening school teachers are even now as much in earnest, as devoted, and as interested in improved methods as though they were making of this particular work a life profession.

g. But another step should now be taken. Evening school teachers, and especially those concerned with the difficult work of teaching English and civics to adults, should each year take a short course of special professional improvement work. Before classes open we should have evening institutes. Attending over at least two weeks. Attendance of all those persons who expect to serve in evening schools. Every effort should be made to bring to these institutes the persons best qualified to exemplify improved methods of instruction.

h. It is highly desirable that advisory committees should be constituted for evening schools for adults, composed in part of leading and well Americanized representatives of the various nationalities most concerned. Regular meetings of these advisory committees should be held, partly to stimulate public interest in the work being done, partly to discover existing defects in that work.

President Sullivan, Mr. P. F. Sullivan, president of the Bay State Street railway, was introduced by Mr. Mahoney as "the biggest captain of industry in New England." Mr. Sullivan put character in the foreground as the foundation of good citizenship. "Our chairman," said Mr. Sullivan, "has introduced me as a captain of industry when as a matter of fact, I am not even a high private. He said he wanted to hear from me and I told him what I think of him for getting me into this scrape. I think my language might not be fit

for polite society. I felt very much disturbed when I first came in, but upon observing so many ladies present I was immediately reconciled for I thought that this is an opportunity that doesn't come a man's way every day—an opportunity to talk to women when they can't talk back.

"I think that I owe you an apology or explanation, or both, for my appearance here tonight and I am going to lay the blame at the door of the highest type of citizen in the United States, Dr. Chauncey Brewer, president of the North American Civic League of Immigrants. He asked me to see Mr. Mahoney, president of the State Normal school in Lowell, and I saw Mr. Mahoney. That is why I am here tonight. Mr. Mahoney inveigled me here, but I regret that Mr. Brewer is not here for I am sure he would give all of us an inspiration. It doesn't make any difference, I suppose, how or why I came here and despite what I may have thought of it in the beginning, I am very glad I came for I have been very much interested in what Dr. Snedden had to say. He has visualized many things that I have thought of.

"It is the obvious things that we pay least attention to and that is quite natural. In our educational system, the most valuable thing of all in the development of an environment has been more or less neglected. I am referring now to character. We have never had sufficient labor of our own in this country and we have been dependent on imported labor for more than 100 years. The foundation of democracy is the intelligence of the people and our public school system is the corner stone of our government, but anybody who thinks the government will run automatically is making a big mistake. Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. Our constitution is no better than that of Mexico, but there is a big difference. The results achieved, I don't care how high may be the intelligence of the people, but intelligence without character will not perpetuate government.

"We have been very liberal and have contributed very generously to the education of an educational system to educate the rising generation. We have developed the mental side and lately, and wisely, too, the physical side. But one side we have neglected—the side of character, and character is essential in the making of an interpreter. The interpreter is short there. Children leave high school with one object in view, and that is to get as good a position as possible; a little better than the ordinary. No thought is given to what they owe the state or city for the education they have received and that is our fault, because we didn't bring them to a realization of what they are to the state. We didn't give them a proper knowledge of government.

"Every male immigrant is a potential citizen and the industry of the country is dependent upon him. He goes to the polls and elects our legislators and it is very necessary that he should have some knowledge of the fundamental principles of our government. We do not take pains enough with him, and too often he is treated as an interpreter. The contempt shown him drives him back to the environment of his compatriots and such treatment as this has not been monopolized by any particular race or blood. I feel that the non-English speaking people who come to our shores, those who must depend upon the evening school for their education, require better teachers than do the pupils of our day schools. And it isn't necessary that we should have great teachers from the highest standpoint of education for if we were intelligent teachers for such work as is contemplated in the evening school, I would give at least 50 per cent for sympathy, patience, kindness, for these are the things that are necessary in assisting the foreigners to grasp our ideas. It is absolutely necessary to get their confidence in order to successfully impart ideas."

Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, the prominent Boston merchant, resident of Brookline, and a member of the state board of education, spoke briefly commending the object of the conference, which he said had been too long delayed.

In introducing Mr. Fitzpatrick, the chairman referred to the fact that he had come all the way from Brookline to attend the conference and Mr. Fitzpatrick said he would go back and forth from Brookline to Lowell twenty times to hear what he had heard at the conference. He said the subject involved is an important one for the people to consider. "We want more of these conferences," he said, "for the result will be not only beneficial to the immigrants but the citizens as well. We are a nation of immigrants and therefore the nation should be interested in this matter. I was very much interested in what Dr. Snedden had to say as to the interest of state and nation in the education of the immigrant and I heartily agree with him. I think the state and nation should assist, and very materially too, in the education of the immigrant and that no one community should be asked to bear the expense. This is not by any means a one-sided question. It should command the attention of the best thinkers of our country. There is no process by which we can measure the value to the country of each and every well meaning immigrant. It was but recently that the board of education discussed this problem; this very matter in which you are interested to night, and your chairman, Principal Mahoney, was commended for the great interest he has taken in the matter. It is our duty, the duty of our legislators and others, to make it

possible for immigrants to get the education they deserve.

Field Secretary Spano

Dr. Chauncey Brewer, of the North American Civic League for Immigrants, was not present, but he sent a letter which was read by Mr. Mahoney, in which he urged the importance of the question to be discussed, saying that the future of a democracy, politically and economically depend upon the correct solution of this problem.

The last speaker was Joseph Spano, field secretary of the North American League for Italians. Mr. Spano is an Italian, college-bred in his native country, but not yet an American citizen for the reason, as he explained, that he has not lived here a sufficient number of successive years.

Mr. Spano said that we know very little about the immigrant and he also paid his respects to the interpreters. He said that 95 out of every 100 of them do not interpret properly; that they convey wrong impressions and they create a misunderstanding between the immigrant and the citizen. He laid great stress on the necessity of specially trained teachers for immigrants. He said it was necessary for the teacher to understand the immigrant and to take pains with him. He said the trouble is that few of us know or care to know what is behind the stony countenance of the immigrant, and we have not the sympathy nor the patience to bring it out.

Mr. Spano made a strong appeal for the women immigrants. He pointed out that she hasn't the opportunity to attend the evening school because she has her household duties to look after. He thought the social workers

might do something for the uplift of the non-English speaking women who come here; women sorely in need of help and sympathy. "Madams," he said, "are measured by the standard of their women, and a nation cannot rise above that standard any more than a stream can rise above the spring from which it takes its flow."

Mr. Spano thought it might be possible to reach the women through another medium. "But the probability," he said, "is yours to solve. The foreigner should be taught to understand that law and order and the rights of others, must be respected. You will be surprised, then, at the tremendous response that you will get from those masses who have not heretofore been handled properly. In your problem of preparedness do not forget this very important feature, the immigrant problem."

Mr. Spano concluded that he was proud to be an immigrant and that he will be proud still when he can claim the distinction of being an American citizen.

## SUN BREVITIES

Best printing: Tobin's, Asso. Bldg. Expert vulcanizing, Beharrell's.

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The Central Savings Bank.

Mrs. Frank J. Maguire, of Eighth avenue, is visiting in Concord, N. H.

Ten applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the examination at city hall today. The examiner was Mr. Lathrop of the state highway commission.

The city treasurer will call for bids on city bonds in a few days for amounts aggregating \$194,000; \$55,000 for water

main extensions, \$61,000 for macadamizing \$50,000 for school additions and \$50,000 for sidewalks.

An alarm from box 15 at 1:17 o'clock last night summoned a patrol of the fire department to an awning fire in front of a store in Liberty square. The blaze was extinguished before any material damage was done.

The case of Harry W. J. Howe vs. the Burns detective agency, an action of contract by which the plaintiff seeks to recover \$3890 for alleged services rendered the agency, is scheduled to be heard at the civil session of the superior court in this city on May 23.

Plans are being made by the Lowell Rotary Club and the Provision Dealers' association for a complimentary banquet to be held on Wednesday evening next. An excellent musical program has been arranged and the following speakers have been invited to be present: Hon. James E. O'Donnell, mayor; Hon. Henry V. Mansfield, secretary and treasurer of the Massachusetts Retail Grocers and Provision Dealers' association; John H. Murphy, secretary of the Lowell board of trade; Chief of Police Redmond Welch and former President E. S. Fitzpatrick of the Lowell association.

A supper and entertainment was held at the rooms of Cercle Jacques Cartier in School street. The affair, which was given under the auspices of the organization, was largely attended and proved most enjoyable. Musical and literary numbers were given, and the affair was brought to a close at a seasonable hour. The committee in charge, consisted of Joseph Lussier, chairman; H. J. Duprez, secretary; C. A. Loupret, treasurer; Etienne Landry, H. J. Mills, Albert Daigault, L. Regnier and David Letendre.

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SUITS	New Sample COATS	SUITS
In checks, serges, gabardines and poplins, numerous styles.....\$13.75 Sold Elsewhere \$20, \$22	\$4.75 to \$20.00 Sold Elsewhere \$7.95 to \$35 50 new samples just come in, made in different materials and styles, all sizes in the lot.	These suits at this price are wonders, all wool materials.....\$11.75 Sold Elsewhere \$16.75
SAMPLE SILK SUITS \$15.75 to \$22.50		OTHER SUITS \$6.75 to \$22.50

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You can save the Middleman's profit by walking up one easy flight of stairs.  
CLOAKS AND SUITS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.



# TO REGULATE THE JITNEYS

Bill in Legislature Would Give Power to Cities and Towns—Local Situation Cited

A cry that is not very loud at the present time but that will grow until it has been heard on Beacon hill in Boston has been raised for protective legislation in regard to jitneys. The city government framed an ordinance some time ago that carried with it a certain degree of protection, but the ordinance has been jockeyed with until it is of little or no account. There are some operators of jitneys who are responsible to the extent of having sufficient property to pay damages in case of injury and there are others who would not be able to make good in case of accident. And whether they could make good or not, there isn't any law that requires them to do any particular thing. There has been a bill after bill before the legislature and they have been dissected with a vengeance.

A young woman whose home is in Gorham street was struck by a jitney on the night of December 12. She was on her way home from work and the accident happened only a few yards from her own door. She sustained a compound fracture of the left ankle and it is feared that she will be lame for life. She was also painfully cut about the head, face and arms. She has not worked since the accident until the present week. She is working half time now in order to pay doctor bills. She is not able to work full time.

The jitney, according to reports, was in the car tracks instead of on the right hand side of the street and was proceeding towards the city. It is also stated that the driver of the jitney left Lowell immediately after the accident and was gone for several days. The young lady referred to is employed as a telephone operator at the telephone exchange. She is obliged to suffer her pain and loss of time without compensation, because there isn't any law that properly provides for a case of this kind.

Our Jitney Ordinance  
Section eleven of Lowell's Jitney

## FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles. The prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it at night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is evident that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

7-20-4

Largest user of imported tobacco in this country. R. B. Sullivan pays largest Government Duty and Excise Tax of any individual in the United States. Largest selling brand of 10c Cigars in world.

## YOUNG WOMAN BEHEADED

STREET CAR RAN WILD ON GRADE AND CRASHED INTO POLE—ONE KILLED, 38 INJURED

CINCINNATI, O., April 28.—A double truck Vine-Burnet street car, crowded with men, women and children, became unmanageable as it was approaching McMillan street here yesterday, ran wild on a down grade for six blocks, jumped the track and crashed into a telegraph pole, which also demolished it and caused the death of one woman and injury to 38 other persons.

Miss Carrie Stiller, aged 31, an attendant at the Cincinnati General hospital, was beheaded. She was to have been a bridesmaid last night at the wedding of Miss Carrie Geisler, who was seriously, although not fatally, injured.

Physicians at the various hospitals to which the injured were hurriedly taken announced late yesterday that probably 20 were in a serious condition and that some might die.

Motorman Thomas Devaney, in a statement to the police, said that he first noticed that his brakes were out of order when he attempted to slow down to throw the switch at McMillan street. The brakes did not respond and he could not allow the car to run past the switch and down the grade.

## MUST RE-ISSUE LICENSES

ALL WERE ILLEGALLY ADVERTISED IN MAYNARD—MUST PUT "AD" IN LOCAL NEWSPAPER

MAYNARD, April 28.—Five of the six liquor licenses allowable to this town have been granted illegally and will have to be readvertised and re-issued.

This was discovered yesterday when a point of law was raised in connection with the granting of the sixth. This was to have been decided upon by the selectmen at a special meeting today. The point raised makes it likely that many other towns in the state have granted their licenses illegally also.

According to the statute, all liquor applications shall be advertised in a paper printed in the town where the license is to be granted, or shall be advertised by posting notice on the building where the applicant intends to do business.

It was pointed out to the selectmen that the local weekly papers in which applications were advertised this year, are not printed in Maynard; also that the applicants did not post their places of business. This discovery forces the re-issuing and readvertising of all applications. The selectmen announced yesterday, however, that all licenses will be re-granted within two weeks.

## POLICE WILL STOP PLANS

NOT TO ALLOW U. S. MARINE CORPS TO DISTRIBUTE CIRCULARS IN RECRUITING CAMPAIGN

BOSTON, April 28.—Members of the United States marine corps will not be allowed to distribute cards or circulars about Boston streets, as planned in their recruiting campaign. Superintendent Crowley asserted last night that such methods are a violation of the city ordinances.

When informed of the stand taken by the police, Major Hatch said: "Well, if that is the law then we will have to obey it. I shall take the matter up with Washington for something must be done. We are trying to recruit the corps up with intelligent men and to get the means of interesting them."

He thought it was a very clever way to accomplish the purpose, and results have borne us out so far. We do not want loafers or shiftless men in the corps and won't have them. We have flag stations, one on Hanover street and the other on Portland. We will utilize these of the police attitude, last night, Major Hatch said: "Well, if that is the law then we will have to obey it. I shall take the matter up with Washington for something must be done. We are trying to recruit the corps up with intelligent men and to get the means of interesting them."

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Women's Lamb Skin Gloves with self and black embroidery in tan only, all sizes, slightly spotted; regular \$1.25 value. No exchanges. Marked.....59c

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Colored Striped Georgette Crepe Waists, made with plaited frill; regular value \$1.98. Special.....98c

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Black and Colored Petticoats, made of gloria with elastic band; regular value \$1.08. Special at.....98c

Colored Pompadour Petticoats, made with double ruffle. Special at.....\$1.93

Colored Silk Petticoats, made of the best quality taffeta in all the newest shades and styles. Special at \$3.98 and \$5.00

## MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SPECIALS

Corset Covers and Drawers, lace and Hamburg trimmed; regular value 39c. Special at.....25c

Envelope Chemise, Combinations and Petticoats; regular value 79c. Special at.....49c

Flesh Colored Gowns, Combinations and Envelope Chemise. Special at.....98c

Crepe de Chine Camisoles, made with lace insertion; regular value \$1.49. Special at.....98c

Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise; regular value \$2.98. Special at.....\$1.98

## STRIKES AVERTED

58,500 Cotton Mill Employees Get Pay Raise—Record Wages

FALL RIVER, April 28.—A threatened strike of 50,000 cotton mill operatives, which was voted Wednesday night, was averted today by announcement of a 10 per cent wage increase by the Cotton Manufacturers' Association.

The advance, which will be effective next Monday, will bring the scale of wages to the highest point in the history of the industry, according to mill authorities here.

The textile council, which comprises representatives of each of the principal cotton mills, demanded a 10 per cent increase several weeks ago, but was told that 5.5 per cent was the greatest advance which could be paid.

In reflecting this offer last night, the council voted to strike next Monday morning unless its full demands were complied with.

NEW BEDFORD, April 28.—The cotton manufacturers of this city yesterday voted a 10 per cent advance in wages to take effect May 1. Twenty-five thousand operatives will benefit by the increase.

The announcement clears a situation which the textile council announced recently, threatened to result in a general strike. The council had demanded an advance of 10 per cent, which the manufacturers' association had refused.

With the operation of the new schedule, the textile workers of this city will be obtaining 10 per cent more wages than they received Jan. 1, an advance of five per cent having been granted early in the year.

The latest raise will increase the annual payroll by \$1,500,000, it is estimated, and will mark the highest wages ever paid cotton mill operatives here.

PROVIDENCE, April 28.—Notices were posted at the factory of the National India Rubber Company in Bristol yesterday, stating that there is to be a general increase in wages for all of the employees, to take effect Monday.

The announcement was received with joy by the 1500 employees.

## THREE STRIKERS ARRESTED

They Are Charged With Intimidating Employees of Home Scale Company at Rutland, Vt.

RUTLAND, Vt., April 28.—Two confederates of this city officers and a strikers' committee failed yesterday

to end the strike of 150 laborers at the Home Scale company plant.

Three men, Nicholas Derrick, R. Patro and Giuseppe Conarato, were arrested yesterday on a charge of intimidating workmen. The arrests were quickly accomplished by several officers under the leadership of Deputy Sheriff Pascal Ricci, who snatched a six-inch dagger from the trousers of one of the prisoners.

Because it was pay day the police guard about the plant was doubled, as was the guard of deputy sheriffs. During the day Italian strikers picketed the plant, and it is claimed by the officials that they threatened men who were willing to continue work.

The action of the laborers, who demand an increase of 35 cents a day in wages and recognition of the union, has thrown out of work more than 100 men, and the factory department of the biggest scale plant in the world is at a standstill.

Wickett was a native of Fall River. He had followed the sea since his boyhood and had worked in New England and the West Indies waters as an engineer, pilot and captain, for all of which positions he held licenses.

He had been in the employ of the Trident Fisheries company since the fall. He left his home in East Boston at 1 o'clock on Monday afternoon last to join his vessel and anticipated a long cruise.

Wickett is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Clara Wilson of East Boston; and two sisters, Mrs. George Blackett of Weymouth and Miss Minnie E. Wickett of Southington, Conn. He had been married 20 years.

## WAS GROUND TO PIECES

WILLIAM WICKETT, EAST BOSTON ENGINEER, KILLED BY HIS OWN ENGINE AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Me., April 28.—William Wickett, chief engineer on the beam trawler Long Island, owned by the Trident Fisheries company, Commonwealth pier, Boston, was yesterday

ground to pieces under the crank of the steamer's engine.

Wickett was 45 years of age and lived with his wife at 217 Webster street, East Boston. He was one of the best known marine engineers on the New England coast.

Wickett heard a peculiar thumping sound in the lower part of the engine and went to the pit to investigate. When he failed to return, from the lower section of the engine, his assistant, Ernest Nichols, went below to inquire the cause and found Wickett's body in the pit under the high pressure cylinder tank.

Wickett was dead. He died instantly, it is thought, as he made no outcry when the engine seized him in its grasp.

The steamer was about nine miles from the Cape Elizabeth lightship, and was bound for the western banks at the time of the accident.

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# "CUKE" BROKE UP GAME

## Lowell Center Fielder Won Contest From St. Anselm's Team With Home Run in Third Inning

Special to The Sun.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 28.—With 600 people on hand out at Textile park yesterday afternoon to welcome the former Manchester players, now wearing the tuggery of the Lowell eastern league club, and a fast game served up everything would have been ready locally for one "Cuke" Barrows, formerly of somewhere in Maine. But for "Cuke" St. Anselm's would have won. "Cuke" ambled up to the plate with two men on the third lining, swaked a fast ball served up by Melancon on the seam and the heavy wallop netted "Cuke" a home run and broke up a perfectly respectable ball game. The final count was 4 to 2 against the local collegians.

The contest was booked for the benefit of the athletic association of the local police department and the treasury of the blue coats is substantially swelled as the result of the experiment, which was suggested by Patrolman John F. Smith, former major leaguer, who had the privilege of the park for the day. Smith placed the grounds at the disposal of the department and his judgment proved what might properly be termed excellent.

But to get back to the ball game. Joe Kilhullen, Joe Briggs, Joe Kane, Lefty King, Hank Horsey, George Spires, Red Torphy, all former Manchester players, were hurled into the game for Lowell, and each received a warm reception as he stropped up to the plate. For Briggs, especially, the day was a happy one, the Franklin boy pulling three ringing drives, a two-bagger being mingled into the number. And the big crowd of fans were ready for their trip out to the ball yard and the little uneasiness caused by the cold weather. It was an exciting game and spectacular plays were numerous. As mentioned above, Barrows circuit wallop sort of mused the thing up for a while, but the leaguers had some-

thing to think about continually as the collegians were always dangerous and were "bumping" the pitching of Lannan and Horsey rather savagely. While Matty Zeller was working, his three innings, nothing much was doing for the home talent in the way of hits.

### Locals Outfit Leaguers

While on the hitting end of the exhibition we might remark that the college team outfit the professionals by two to one, showing 10 safeties to five for the visitors. But two of these five followed a base on balls in the third, and Mr. "Cuke" Barrows supplied the telling one with that four base blow. Fielding thrills were as numerous as the timely sticking, with Flynn, Shins and Schmidt of the college turning in fine plays. Flynn's catch of a long foul near the left field stands was the classic piece of work of the afternoon. "Snubner" Greenhalge, who catches when he's told to and then hangs around in the outfield or infield as the occasion demands, was doing duty at second base yesterday—Manager Lord not feeling like baseball, or wanted to get a look at "Snubner" in action or something. But at all events Lord didn't work and "Snubner" did and he batted next door to it, and his running catch of a line drive saved considerable trouble for his ball club.

Melancon was the first pitching offering for the locals, and barring the fatal third inning, worked well. He got into a hole in the third and appeared to forget he had a good curve ball. His curve had been bothering the leaguers, but in that third session, Melancon started working his fast one over him when Spires reached on a base on balls with one down. Now throwing fast balls to Joseph Briggs or "Cuke" Barrows is about the same thing as murder. Melancon hurled the fast ones and the far-away drives followed. Mel-

lancon, continued till the sixth and was never in trouble after the third.

### Visitors Helpless Before Lannan

Lannan, a southpaw, was then shunted in and the leaguers could do little with him, collecting but a solitary bingle in three and one-half innings.

Each team scored a run in the third. Schmidt of St. Anselm's was passed and went to third on Humann's single to center. Humann went down on the first ball and Kilhullen cut loose his throw but neither Greenhalge nor Torphy bobbed up to take it and Schmidt scored. Kane's throw to Spires nipped Humann in his attempt to take third on the throw to center.

Lowell quickly evened up matters. Joe Kane, who had a habit of continually starting ball games here with a bingle, being up to his old tricks and delivering a single to center. Spires fled out to Lavoie, and when the latter attempted to double up Kane at first he pegged wild and Kane went round to third. Briggs singled to left, scoring Kane.

The next counts went to Lowell. After Kane had been retired in the third, Spires walked and took third on Briggs' double to right center. Barrows then hit for a home run counting the three tallies. That ended the scoring for Lowell.

St. Anselm's second run came in the seventh, while Horsey was on the mound. Murray singled to left, Shinsy fanned. Lannan in his first trip to the plate soaked a screaming liner to right center for two bases, scoring Murray. Schmidt and Humann were thrown out by Greenhalge.

The locals had a fine chance to tie up matters in the eighth, having men on second and third with no one out, and then the three sacks filled with but one gone. A double play blasted the hopes of the collegians. Stewart opened with a double to left and took third on Flynn's single to the same territory. Flynn stole on the first pitch. Cavanaugh went out, Horsey to Munn. Lavoie was then intentionally passed to pave the way for a double play and the plotting worked out to perfection. Murray's grounder to Horsey, forcing Stewart at the plate and Kilhullen's throw to Munn killing off Murray for the final out. The summary:

### LOWELL

	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Kane, cf.	2	1	1	3	1	0
Stimpson, cf.	2	0	0	1	0	1
Spikes, 3b.	3	1	0	1	1	0
Briggs, rf.	4	1	3	1	0	0
Munn, lb.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Greenhalge, 2b.	2	0	0	9	1	1
Torphy, ss.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	24	6	5	27	14	2

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Kilhullen, c.	3	0	0	3	2	1
King, p.	1	0	0	0	3	0
Zeller, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Horsey, p.	1	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	26	4	5	27	14	2

### ST. ANSELM'S COLLEGE

	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Schmidt, cf.	3	1	1	1	2	0
Humann, 2b.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Stewart, rf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Flynn, lf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Cavanaugh, lb.	4	0	0	9	0	0
Lavoie, 3b.	3	0	2	1	2	1
Murray, c.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Slaney, ss.	4	0	0	4	2	0
Melancon, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lannan, p.	2	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	34	2	10	21	9	1

Lowell..... 10 3 0 0 0 0 0 1-4  
St. Anselm's..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-2

Two-base hits—Briggs, Lannan, Stewart. Home run—Barrows. Stolen bases—Munn, Schmidt, Flynn. Sacrifice hits—Munn, Greenhalge. Double plays—By Murray to Kilhullen to Munn; Humann to Slaney to Cavanaugh. Hits—OF King, 4 in 3 innings; of Zeller, 1 in 3 innings; of Horsey, 1 in 3 innings; of Melancon, 1 in 3 innings; of Lannan, 1 in 3-1-2 innings. Bases on balls—OF King, 1; Horsey, 2; Melancon, Lannan. Hit by pitched ball—Murray. Struck out—By King 1, Zeller 3, Horsey, Melancon, Lannan. Passed balls—Kilhullen. Umpire—McLaughlin. Attendance—1000. Time 1:35.

### BOWLING COMMENT

The second ten strings of the 30-string bowling match between Mr. Driscoll of the White ways alleys, Mr. Moore of the Crescent alleys and Mr. Kimball of the Kimball System team of the City league, were played last night on the White Ways alleys and Mr. Driscoll, who led in the first contest, increased his lead last night, although Mr. Kimball pressed him pretty hard. Mr. Moore was up against tough luck and bad breaks together with his inability to pick off some hard layouts resulted in his failure to strike the 300 mark.

The final strings will be pulled off on the White Ways alleys next week. The scores last night were as follows:—

Driscoll	94	95	102	101	84
Kimball	84	96	88	82	92
Moore	167	89	86	106	92-330
	75	92	96	82	101-394

Miss Lucy Conant, of Portland, Me., champion of the world at candle pins, is to come to Lowell next month to battle with Miss Melancon, of this city, a match of 30 strings. Ten strings are to be played on the eighth ten more on the ninth and the final ten on the tenth of the month. The match will be bowled on the Crescent alleys and no doubt that place will be packed to capacity on the three nights of the contest for in the event of the Lowell lady winning she will be entitled to the honor of lady champion.

Tonight will be "Lowell night" at the bowling congress in Lynn and among the locals who will appear will be the Crescent, Kimball System, United States Cartridge Co. and Crescent Ladies bowling team. All of the players are on their mettle and it is expected that the Spindle City aggregations will give a good account of themselves.

### AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Gullbaults will play the River-shides on the grounds in the rear of the Lowell Textile school tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock.

The St. Michael's choir boys will play the Centralville Blues on the Bunker Hill grounds tomorrow afternoon for a quarter ball. The following players will report: Sullivan, Burns, Kilbane, J. Sullivan, Foley, Leclain, Murphy and Heaps. The St. Michael's choir boys would like games with the Lagrange A. C., Buffaloes, Christian Hill stars or any other 12-13 year old team.

The Hudson A. C. defeated the Young Glennons by a score of 12 to 11. The feature of the game was the pitching and hitting of George Bath and the fielding of the whole team. The Hudsons want to play the Franklin A. C. a week from Saturday for two quarter balls. Answer through this paper.

## THE BIRD MIMIC

INTERESTING LECTURE AT THE ELIOT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH LAST EVENING

At the Eliot Congregational church last evening, Edward Avis, the well known bird mimic, talked to a large audience on the interesting and instructive phases of birdland. Mr. Avis' lecture included an excellent selection of views that show bird life in all seasons in all parts of the country, especially in and about the hills of New England.

His subjects include "Early Dawn in New England," "Stories of the Bird," and others. Mr. Avis uses a violin at times in combination with his whistling imitations. His woodland echoes of the Maryland yellow-throat, the yellow warbler, vesper sparrow and other birds are all very well done.

## EASTERN LEAGUE

### Opening of the New Ten Club Circuit Set For Today

Weather reports from the five cities in which the teams of the new Eastern league were to make their initial bow of the 1916 baseball season received this noon were very dubious and while it is positive that all of the opening games cannot be played, it is doubtful if any can be carried out. Big opening day observances were scheduled in Bridgeport, Springfield, Hartford, New Haven and New London.

Fresh from their first exhibition game in more than a week, the Lowell team arrived in Bridgeport today after stopping off at Springfield on the way from Manchester. Manager Lord was perfectly satisfied with the showing of the boys in yesterday's game and felt confident of a good start if the weather permitted a game. Green or Lannan would have been selected to pitch with any of the other three twirlers able to go in at any time. The weather was stormy all morning, however, and the players hung around the hotel lobby and chatted away. Sixteen Lowell players arrived in Bridgeport accompanied by Secretary Kennedy.

### DIAMOND GOSSIP

Rather nice turnout at Textile park yesterday afternoon for what several New England writers have termed a "dead" city. Rather than be that, Manchester is very much alive in a baseball way if given the proper consideration and worked right. But seventh and eighth place clubs won't go here any more than in other cities—Manchester Union.

The former Manchester ball tossers now with Lowell received a warm reception from the crowd yesterday.

"Snubner" Greenhalge filled in nicely at second base yesterday. The stinky little catcher is a good utility man for Lord to carry.

"Cuke" Barrows started right in with his timely home run wallop which have given many a pitcher a heart ache.

Joe Briggs chalked up three hits, including a double.

Lannan, the St. Anselm's youngster, held the Lowell slabbers to five hits.

"Lefty" Tyler had the New York Giants under his wing yesterday and held them to five well scattered safeties. In the second inning George began with Henry Kauff and retired the side on strikes. He also fanned the first man up in the third.

## DANCE OF THE PONY CLUB

ASSOCIATE HALL SCENE OF PRETTY PARTY—FINE MUSICAL PROGRAM GIVEN

With Associate hall beautifully decorated for the occasion the annual dancing party and minstrel entertainment of the Pony club was held last night and was attended by the same success that has characterized these parties for the past decade. The floor was well filled with young people and the gallery was literally packed with interested onlookers who were present long before the minstrel program commenced.

A dozen or more solo numbers were introduced in the minstrelsy and all



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were given with much cleverness, while the chorus work could not have been improved upon. William H. Way had charge of this feature of the evening and to him is due much credit for the successful manner in which every de-

tail was carried out. Thomas Dowd was the accompanist.

The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the stage was set with greenery and bunting of the national colors. A large American flag formed the background for the half-circle of entertainers. James Walsh was the interlocutor and he carried out the duties of the assignment in a very capable manner. The work of the ends was especially good and they provided no end of fun with their witticisms and humorous songs. The solo numbers of Jackson Palmer, Martin H. Maguire and George Rogers deserves special mention. The program complete was as follows:

Interlocutor, James Walsh  
Grand overture, By entire company  
Solos, sustained by Messrs. Maguire and Boyle  
Baritone solo, Dreaming of You, Frank Marshall  
Baritone solo, The Good Old Days Back Home, George "Babe" Rogers  
Tenor solo, Dreaming of Thee, Martin H. Maguire  
End song, I'll Soon Be Back in Dixie, Frank Ginty  
Bass solo, A Little Bit of Heaven, Jackson Palmer  
End song, When It's Moonlight on the Mississippi, John O'Grady  
Baritone solo, Memories, William McGraff  
End song, Where Did Robinson Crusoe Go With Friday on Saturday Night? Joseph Perry  
Tenor solo, When It's Orange Blossom Time in Loveland, Patrick Nevin  
End song, I've Lost My Mandy, William McGraff  
Baritone solo, Who Knows, David C. Boyle  
End song, I Had But Fifteen Cents, James Hiley  
Grand finale, Wake Up, America! By entire company  
Solo sustained by Jackson Palmer

Entire program under the personal supervision of William H. Way, musical director. Thomas Dowd, accompanist.

Music, Broderick's union orchestra. At 9:30 o'clock, general dancing was started. The music was provided by Broderick's union orchestra, John J. Broderick, director.

The officers of the evening were: General manager, James Walsh; assistant general manager, Patrick Nevin; floor director, Edward Bradley; assistant floor director, John Raddy; treasurer, James F. McGrath; chief aid, Joseph Cox; aids, James Kilbride, Frank McGraff, James Mulvey, Charles Nevin, John Duffe, James Porter, Thomas Goss, John Dempsey, Joseph Kelly, George Eastman, Robert Kane, Thomas Furey, Fred Royce, Simon Lannan, Edward McLaughlin, Arthur Boulger, Peter Soroghan, John Cavies, William Bancroft; reception committee, William Riley, James Callery, Bernard Hurley, James Riley, William Kilbride, Samuel McMahon, James Woods, Joseph Bradbury, Thomas Kelly, William Kelly, Frank Kelly, Joseph Curley, Hurd McGowan, Thomas McGovern, Leo Gallagher, Frank McPherson.

### ADD 10 NEW LICENSES

Springfield Commissioners Ignore Numerous Protests and Distribute Additional Liquor Permits

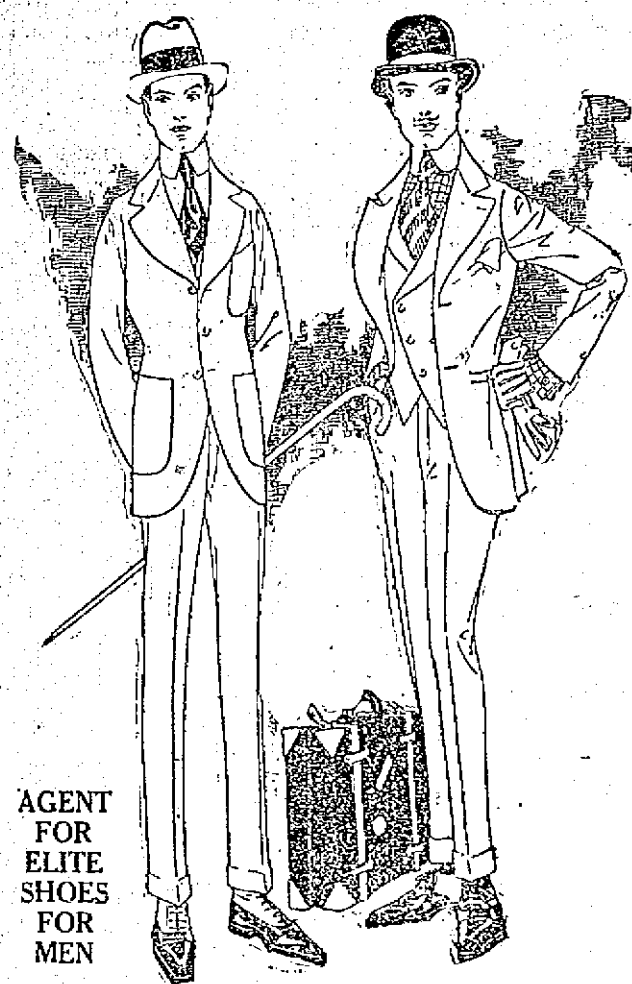
SPRINGFIELD, April 25.—Notwithstanding the numerous protests filed granting additional liquor licenses the board of license commissioners yesterday distributed 10 new franchises.

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## MAHAN A STAR

Famous Harvard Football Player May Sign With Braves

NEW YORK, April 28.—Eddie Mahan, Harvard's star pitcher, will join either the Yankees or the Braves after he is graduated next June. It has been known for some time that Mahan has an offer from Percy Haughton, his football coach and president of the Boston National League club, to become a member of the Stallings management but he decided yesterday that Messrs. Ruppert and Huston had also entered the bidding for the hurler.

Sentiment will very likely play a minor role in Mahan's choice of a club, as he has about decided to try his hand at big league baseball and to sign the best terms. He made good Mahan would be as big a hit right here as he would be in Boston. There is no doubt that it would pay some big league club to take a chance on Eddie, for while performances in varsity ranks sometimes build a reputation in professional baseball, Mahan last season had all the earmarks of a successful finger.

The Yankees are also after Billy Bales, the Harvard pitcher, who some time ago, on account of scholastic difficulties, was advised to seek pastures new. They say Bales is even better than Mahan, but Billy has not yet decided whether or not the professional diamond is the proper place for him.

Signing a college star is a big gamble for a major league club. The varsity boy will rarely hearken to the call of the majors unless he gets an ironclad contract at a good figure and where he cannot be shifted unless he consents. Schultz, now with Providence, had such a document for three years with the Phillies, and as a National leaguer he proved a bloomer. One of the few instances of a college player continuing to sign for practically a mere pittance was that of Lewis Malone of Mount St. Joseph's college, who worked for Connie Mack last season for \$100 a month.

There have been many college pitching stars in the majors, and only a few have made good. Mathewson, from Bucknell; Coombs, from Colby; Falkenberg, from Illinois; Coakley, from Holy Cross; Bender, from Carleton and

Dickinson; Plank, from Gettysburg, and Shore, from Guilford, are some of those who have proved their worth. Crowell of Brown appears to be doing well with the Athletics.

Walter Clarkson, in his day at Harvard even a greater figure than is Mahan at present, signed at a big figure with the Yankees in 1904. Walter found that fooling his league ballmen was far different from deceiving college players, and he was traded to Cleveland. He soon quit the diamond.

## AL SHUBERT THE WINNER

BEATS KID GOODMAN IN 12 ROUNDS AT LAWRENCE—NEW BEDFORD BOXER KEPT HUSTLING

LAWRENCE, April 28.—Al Shubert of New Bedford won from Kid Goodman of New York in the 12 round main bout at the Unity Club here tonight. Goodman substituted for Jimmy Murray and put up a very creditable fight. He made Shubert step at his fastest to win. The little heart from New Bedford fought his usual rushing, trying fight and had a good lead at the finish.

Young Thomas of this city won from Young Riley of Albany, N. Y., in the eighth round, and Billy Burke stopped Young Weinert in five rounds.

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

Lowell's formidable catching staff is causing comment all over the circuit.

The Lowell team is now down to 15 players, including the manager. At least 15 players will be carried along for some time to come.

The Lowell baseball club was a busy place yesterday noon. Suit cases were packed up high and traveling suits were being distributed to the players.

A Lynn paper says that Manager Lord is trying hard to sell trade spies. It doesn't look as though he were trying very hard.

Powers, the first baseman who received a tryout with Lowell, has caught on with the Hartford team.

Billy Hamilton of the Worcester team is looking for a couple of first class pitchers.

Elmer Steele, who went to the Red Sox for a while from the Lynn club, is covering first base for Bridgeport.

Martin Walsh, a brother of big Ed

Walsh, is pitching for Bridgeport and may appear Lowell today or tomorrow.

Manager Hehle Wagner of the Hartford team says he will play shortstop all season.

Roland Barrows spent yesterday forenoon renewing acquaintances about the city.

No one regretted to see Guy Maxwell, the clever young shortstop from Portland, receive his notice to depart any more than Manager Lord himself. It was Harry who brought Maxwell to this city. "The youngster came up to expectations and played fine while in Lowell," said Manager Lord, "but with the wealth of material on hand we could not keep him."

Last night must have been a big night for baseball men in Springfield. The 16 members of the Lowell team stopped at a hotel in that city on their way from Manchester to Bridgeport. The Lawrence team, which played yesterday at Nashua, also made Springfield its stopping place on the way to New Haven, where it played today. And then there was a good representation of Springfield talent on hand waiting for the game today.

With "Red" Torphy, Joe Kilhullen, Joe Briggs, Joe Kane, "Frank" Morsey, and several other former Manchester players in the lineup, Lowell was quite an attraction in the Queen City yesterday. Fast Day was observed in New Hampshire and a holiday crowd was in attendance.

Blind baseball fans to the number of 40 will be guests at the Red Sox-Chicago game tomorrow. Each guest will be accompanied by a guide to explain the plays.

Arthur Maybalm, the veteran who twirled for Lowell in the old New England league, has been canned by Manager Duffy of Portland. A few years ago, Maybalm was capable of pitching excellent ball but during the past couple of years, he has been going back. This year, however, he thought himself again in form but failed to show enough to satisfy Duffy.

In order to get down to the 21-player limit Stallings may have to let his young catchers out on optional agreements. If he carries eight pitchers, five outfielders and six infielders this course will be necessary.

Mr. Billy Hamilton of the Worcester team says that Gus Gardella will remain the property of the Worcester club. The Eastern league has refused to take a hand in the controversy and Sec. Farrell also refused to give a decision. Hugh Duffy thought that New London should return Whitehouse to Portland and Gene McCann thinks Lowell should send Paddy Green back to New London but they are willing, evidently, to let players remain where they are and Hamilton is following along the same lines—keeping Gardella.

Already some of the Eastern league magnates are raising long and mournful howls about the climbing New London salary list, but Gene McCann continues merrily on his way adding talent. His latest acquisition is Bunny Hearne, the southpaw who was with the Pittsburgh Federals when the outlaw circuit abandoned its war against organized baseball. Hearne was dictating with the Albany club of the New York state league, but Manager White concluded he didn't want to carry along three southpaws, including himself. Furthermore, he didn't like the looks of Hearne's salary demands. New London now has two star southpaws, Martin and Hearne—Springfield Union.

Pieper's sharpened axe which has been hanging suspended by a single thread over the heads of candidates for the Lynn club, fell yesterday, and lopped off the heads of four recruits. Those who felt its downfall were Peterson, Ross and Callahan, pitchers, and Lasky, a catcher. Pieper told them that there wasn't any use of staying around any more because he had plenty of pitching, and catching material, all of which was experienced to league ball, and their chances of making a permanent berth was small. Degrees Fahrenheit. All departed, bag and baggage, last night, and doubtless will try to catch on with some other club in the circuit.

## GAMES TOMORROW

American League  
Boston at Washington  
New York at Philadelphia  
Detroit at Detroit  
Chicago at St. Louis

National League  
Philadelphia at Boston  
St. Louis at Chicago  
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh

Eastern League  
Lowell at Bridgeport  
Portland at Hartford  
Lawrence at New Haven  
Worcester at New London  
Lynn at Springfield

## LEAGUE STANDING

American League	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915
Boston	8	5	.615	.455
New York	8	5	.615	.455
Detroit	7	5	.583	.425
Cleveland	6	6	.500	.387
Washington	6	6	.500	.387
Chicago	7	2	.455	.253
St. Louis	3	8	.273	.333
Philadelphia	3	8	.273	.333
National League	Won	Lost	P.C.	1915
Philadelphia	6	2	.750	.845
Chicago	5	4	.625	.538
Boston	4	4	.500	.431
St. Louis	6	6	.500	.431
Cincinnati	6	6	.500	.431
Brooklyn	4	4	.500	.431
Pittsburgh	4	4	.500	.431
New York	1	7	.125	.250

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League  
Boston-New York—wet grounds.  
Detroit 7, St. Louis 2.  
Chicago 5, Cleveland 2.  
Washington 4, Philadelphia 2.

National League  
Boston 3, New York 2.  
Chicago 5, St. Louis 5.  
Other games postponed, wet grounds.

## ANSMITH MAY BE SOLD

ONE TIME LOWELL CATCHER MAY BE PURCHASED BY THE BOSTON BRAVES

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Unless unforeseen obstacles prevent, Catcher Eddie Ansmith, who has been with the Nationals during the past six years, will be sold within a few days to the Boston Braves.

There was a deal on last winter whereby Ansmith was to go to the Boston club but it was called off when Griffith informed George Stallings that the catcher was in poor physical shape and having trouble with his eyes. Ansmith demonstrated during Monday's game, when he handled Johnson's delivery perfectly, that he is entirely recovered from his recent ailment, and

therefore, able to go out and give a good account of himself.

Ansmith himself is anxious to get away from Washington. Not because he has been badly treated here by the management or fans, but because he has never been able to do himself justice when the hot weather strikes the Capital.

I know the Ansmith is slated for the Boston Braves the writer has only the catcher's word for it.

"When I signed a contract with Mr. Griffith for this season it was with the understanding that I was to be sold or traded before the hot weather set in. The Boston Braves will take me and feel content that I will go to that club," Ansmith told the writer.

It is believed that when Griffith sent Ansmith behind the bat Monday to catch Johnson, he did so to see whether or not Eddie had fully recovered from his recent ailment. Present at the game was Mike Kohoe, the Boston scout who is here, it is believed, to close the deal whereby the Braves will get that peppery backstop.

And Kohoe, if he told the truth, must have informed Stallings that Ansmith was as good as ever, and able to catch every day in the week, if necessary.

Griff will hardly carry four catchers this season, which means that one of his quartet will go by the board, and as Ansmith has always been sick or otherwise incapacitated during the hot weather, it's a cinch that Eddie will be the receiver to be cut loose.

There is just one draw back to the whole proposition, the New York Yankees may refuse to waive on Ansmith, although this club was willing to let

him go when Griff sent out walver notices last winter.

Providing the New Yorks do not want Ansmith it is believed that the deal whereby the catcher will go to the Boston Braves will be consummated within the next few days. New York's refusal to waive means that he will be carried by the local club this season.

## ATHLETIC CARNIVAL

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—The University of Pennsylvania's two-day relay and athletic carnival opened on Franklin field today with entries from 130 colleges and numerous preparatory schools from all section of the country. Twenty-six events were on today's program, including the pentathlon, the college championship sprint and distance medley relay race, the 56-pound weight throw for distance, running hop, step and jump, hammer throw, and quarter mile hurdle race.

Howard Berry, the Pennsylvania all-around athlete, who won the pentathlon last year, was in good condition to defend his title. His competitors included Duke of Wisconsin, Worthington, Dartmouth, Brighton of Pennsylvania, and several others.

In the sprint medley the first and second men to run 225 yards, the third man 440 yards and the last man 850 yards, the second 350 yards, the third three quarters of a mile and the last a mile.

In the special field events New England entrants were: Throwing the 56-pound weight, Roberts, Harvard; throwing the hammer, Roberts, Harvard, and Brown, Yale.

## WITH THE PADDED MITTS

Willie Beecher and Johnny Harvey, both of New York will be the principals in the main bout at Boston next week. Both are rated highly in the fist circles and should furnish a hard, rugged exhibition if their past performance can be taken as a criterion. Harvey showed once before in Boston with Perry White and gave the hard hitter from Chicago all that he could attend to for seven rounds. Harvey weakened in the last four rounds and White became a pugilist of note in the lightweight class and has held Johnny Dundee even in a 20-round contest.

The most promising youngster around New England at the present time is Johnny Donovan, the ex-amateur champion, who hails from South Boston. Donovan has boxed 12 times as a professional and won all starts in a handy fashion, beating some of the best boys in this section. Johnny possesses a rare left hand which he shoots over as fast as a rifle bullet while he can

also hand out a stiff wallop with his right. Donovan is a tall, rangy kid, only 19 years old and should be right in the ring game if he continues to improve.

Jack Dillon of Indianapolis has certainly got the Indian sign on Battling Levinsky for he can whip the New Yorker every time they get together. They met a few days ago in Kansas City and Jack received the award after 15 rounds of sensational battling. This makes the sixth time Dillon has beaten the battler, although the other five were newspaper decisions.

Bedford is turning out many promising youngsters in the mitt game who shape up as likely candidates for high honors in the future. Al Shubert of course has already mounted to the top of the heap, while Frankie Britt is also climbing high and is bounding Shubert for a match. Young Cosmos, who

whipped Jeff Gallant at Boston this week made a fine showing and with a little more experience will be heard from later, and last but not least, Young Demers is the kazo king down in the Whaling city and his list of victories just bristles with knockouts. Demers has stopped Teddy Murphy, who boxed in this city a few weeks ago and he defeated Kid Thomas of Lawrence last Wednesday. All of the above boys hail from New Bedford and straight

to say all weigh in the neighborhood of 116 to 122 pounds.

Mickey Brown of Malden who defeated Gardner Brooks recently, will get a chance to show whether or not he is of champion caliber, in Boston against Johnny Ertle, in the near future. It present plans go through. Brown gave Frankie Brown, the New York bantam a setback a few weeks ago at the Hub club, but the referee called it a draw after Mike had beaten his namesake easily. A large crowd will surely turn out to witness an Ertle-Brown match for both are well known throughout the country as leaders in their class.

Among the large crowd that attended the recent Willard-Moran fight were several women.

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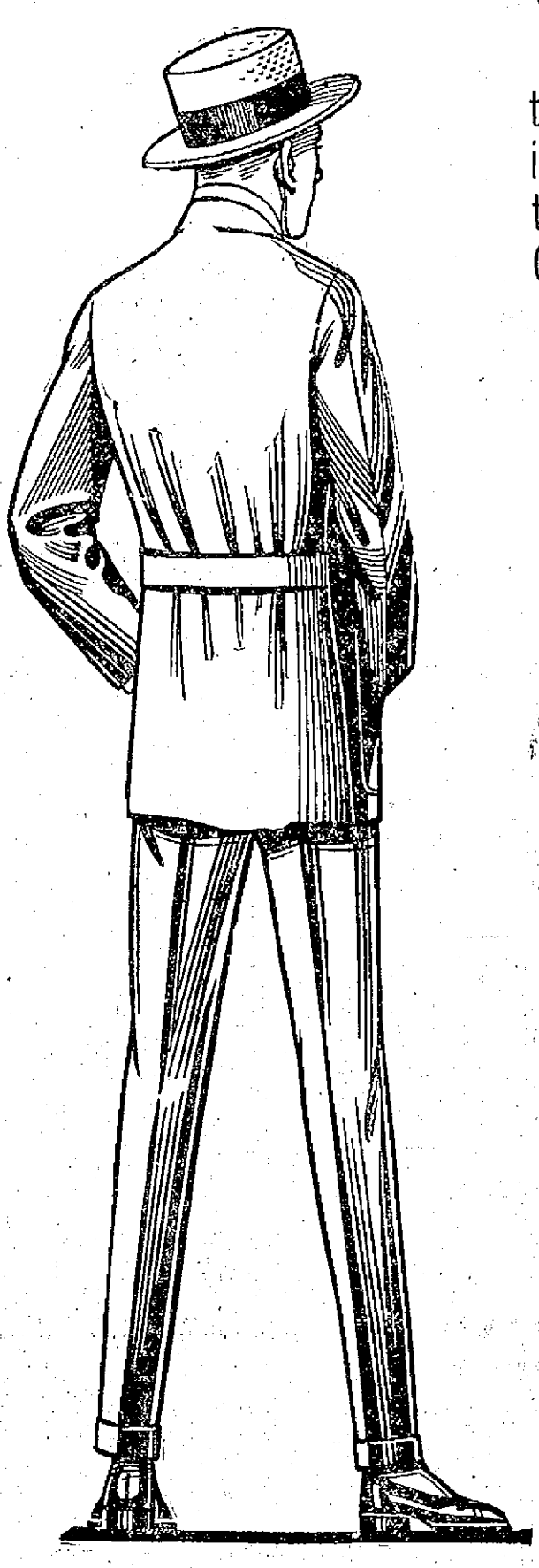
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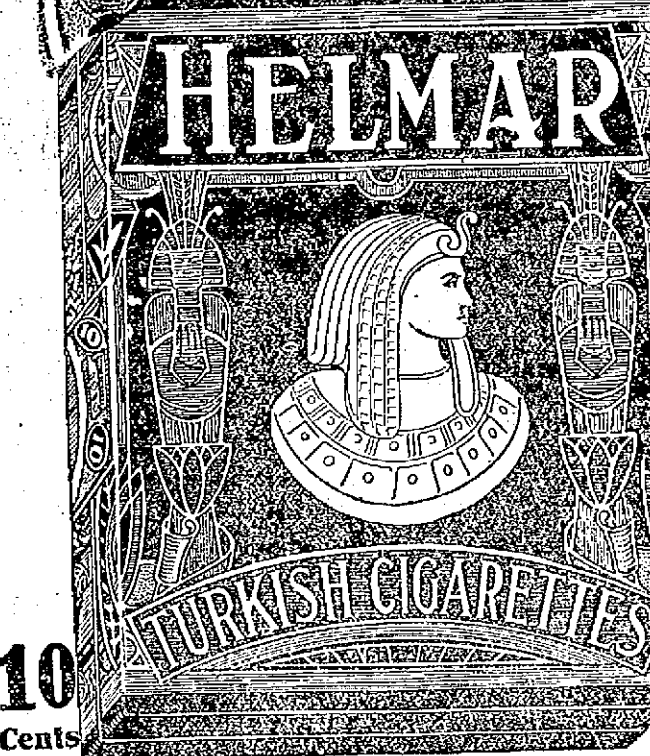
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## TELEPHONE MAGIC

It was fitting that one of the first demonstrations of transcontinental telephone should have taken place in Lowell, a pioneer city in the development of the art of transmitting the human voice by wire. Forty years ago a feat then considered wonderful was the transmission of a message from Lowell to Boston.

When in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," Shakespeare's Puck promised to put a girdle around the earth in 40 minutes, the audience of the time must have felt that such a boast was the highest extravagance of fancy. On Wednesday evening a large group of sober, matter-of-fact Lowell business men saw a girdle being thrown 3400 miles across this continent in the fraction of a second, or at the rate of 56,000 miles per second. Thus does modern scientific invention shame the wildest dream of the romancers.

It is not a long way back to the battle of Concord and Lexington, and the story of Paul Revere's ride is familiar to every schoolboy. It was a wonderful feat to speed on horseback through the country arousing the farmers along the way, but what was it compared to the achievement of Wednesday evening? To sit in a baroque hall, to be connected with San Francisco over three thousand miles away, to talk with men who were once familiar figures in our local life, to hear the surf beat on the rocks along the Golden Gate—it is all more wonderful than a fairy tale. It is modern magic that is more thrilling and inspiring than the necromancy of the past ages.

Yet, the romantic and sensational side of the exploit is not the side to contemplate. What of its influence on the America of the future, industrially, politically, in a national sense? The charge is often made that there are too many states in the Union for a stable system of government, but what of that when we can talk with San Francisco in a few minutes? Surely when the human voice can travel over mountain and valley and prairie, across wastes, rivers, lakes and populous cities, when out of our hundred millions two can talk over a distance of 3000 miles, the possibilities are grand and vast.

In his speech at the local celebration, Vice President Hall graphically outlined the marvelous growth of the Bell telephone system and sketched its future possibilities. Like many other great inventions its practical application to the problems of daily life has progressed beyond the state of surprises and we accept the telephone as though it always was and as though there is nothing wonderful about it. Yet, men like T. N. Vail and John J. Carly are devoting their unique initiative and great talents to the betterment of the telephone systems and are putting at the service of the people a system of which our grandfathers could not have dreamed. It is surely a wonderful age we live in when men who remember the first crude telephone as used in business can stand on the opposite shores of the United States and exchange greetings over a wire. The wireless telephone also is now being perfected, and marvelous as have been the results of invention thus far, still greater wonders are in store for the men of the future. The time is doubtless not far off when it will be quite possible to transmit the human voice across the widest ocean and even around the earth in the fraction of a second.

The board of trade is to be thanked for providing this exhibition of telephone magic for the Lowell public and the local telephone management and higher officers of the company share liberally in the commendation. Those who were privileged in taking part will never forget their participation in an event that possibly represents more good to the world at large than any other invention of modern times.

## BRIGHTER DYESTUFFS OUTLOOK

Many experiments were tried, but without success. Among other things the tax department was given a right to examine under oath any person having a knowledge of the estate of a deceased person, and there were bills in the legislature providing for the compulsory return of personal property under heavy penalties and compelling companies to make a return to the state of their bond holders. None of these plans were effective, and as a result a movement for widespread taxation reform was started, the results of which may be enacted into law in the near future.

So many rosy predictions were made about an American dyestuffs industry at the beginning of the war, only to be nullified by cold facts later that one accepts such statements at this late date with skepticism. Yet, so widespread and emphatic are the statements of improved conditions that the reader takes heart again, hoping that at last something worth while has been achieved.

One of the optimistic predictions that will arouse favorable comment because of its source was the statement of a Boston expert who was commissioned to study the situation by the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers. Speaking in Boston a few days ago he announced to a representative body of textile manufacturers that the problem of insuring a regular supply of dyes and chemicals for the American textile trade is nearing solution. His view of the greatest need was summed up as "the creation of a comprehensive coal tar industry in this country, insuring the country forever against another such calamitous happening as the present."

That the war has led to a great body of new American inventions is proved by the announcements from varying sections, but whether these individual achievements will develop into one large industry remains to be seen. The admission of German superiority in invention and in method of commercializing invention has been made so often that there is a danger of our cutting back and letting things take their course in the old way. Yet, if the end of the war does not mark the end of our absolute dependence on any foreign power for supplies vital to American industry, America will have failed to grasp a great opportunity. That we have the brains and the power of invention is proved by results at our own Textile school, to go no farther, but something else is needed before we can hope to rival Germany as a manufacturer of dyes and chemicals.

The two essentials are government co-operation and protection of the infant industry until such time as it has gone beyond the experimental stage.

## COLLECT THE TAXES

Having received some pointed criticisms from Chief Gettemy of the state bureau of statistics from time to time, Lowell cannot but feel consoled to hear that he has just given Lawrence a few sharp pointers. His attention was called particularly to the failure of the Lawrence city government to collect property and poll taxes and he said some things that apply with equal force to almost all cities, Lowell included. Among other pertinent things Mr. Gettemy said "no accounting system however effectively planned and carried out and however informative it may be, will automatically collect revenue, enforce laws and ordinances and administer the finances of a city." The Gettemy report is supplemented by a report from J. H. Fenlon, chief accountant, who says that unless Lawrence collects the hundreds of thousands of unpaid taxes, the deficit in the revenue loans must be raised by an additional tax.

If private firms were as lax about the collection of bills as is the average municipality, business would be in a sorry state. The demand is usually couched in sharp language and the penalties are printed in red ink, but there are contemptuous individuals who boast that they have not paid their poll tax for years and that they don't intend to. In this city efforts have been made to get the taxes in more promptly for the past few years and this is as it should be. The penalties threatened but never carried out only lead to constant infringements of the law and increased disorganization.

It is a little rough on the citizen who is always prompt in the payment of his taxes to read that a large percentage of the public goes free, and an impartial but strict system that allows of no privileges would be welcomed by all classes.

## LIFE-SAVING APPARATUS

The purchase of 50 sets of life-saving apparatus to be placed along local canals and waterways as protection against drowning accidents ought to ensure a decrease in the number of such occurrences, but past experience is not reassuring. When, once before, the city provided such apparatus, it rapidly disappeared, owing to the thoughtless depredations of unruly youths who cared little for the sentiment involved. To be sure prevention of accident is an essential part of municipal administration, and this apparatus should be where it might be easily reached when needed. Only a short while ago we had a sad drowning that could have been prevented if ropes, lifebuoys and ladders were handy but those who did their best to come to the rescue were handicapped until it was too late. With 50 sets of apparatus under practical police supervision, the canals will be far safer, but the procuring of the ropes and buoys is preliminary. To see that they are protected and respected by the public is the main thing.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Soundkeeper Peabody is thinking seriously of petitioning the municipal council for an automobile.

The unanimity with which the press of the country is backing up President Wilson must convince T. R. that journalism has gone to the dogs.

The Colonel as a Critic  
"Now, then," snapped the colonel, getting his teeth savagely, "have you got down all my statement on Wilson's note yesterday?"  
Secretary—Yes, sir.  
"Did you put down that part about our shameful surrender of American rights?"  
Secretary—Yes, sir.  
"And the weak, meaningless phrases of the note?"  
Secretary—I have that, sir.  
"And the part about the flabby, vacillating policy that dictated it? Bull!"  
Now, bring me a copy of the note and let's see what the man said."

Worse Than a Baby  
He entered a lunch room with his usual brisk manner and climbing on a stool gave an order for his mid-afternoon lunch. The lunchman started preparing it, and the Oracle, as he is known, began to talk. Finally as the lunchman reached the point where he delivered the dish on the counter in front of his customer the Oracle leaned over and shielding his mouth with one hand said in an audible whisper:  
"Congratulations, I've got an addition to my family."

Law School  
"Law school," speculated the lunchman in unfeigned astonishment, and he stared at the Oracle. The lunchman had been bitten before.  
"That true?" he finally asked.  
"Sure thing."  
"What is it, boy or girl?"  
"Son-in-law," responded the Oracle.  
—Brookline Enterprise.

Brought His Check  
A man went into a restaurant with two young ladies.  
"A glass of beer," he said. "Only one—my friends aren't thirsty—and, say, waiter, could you oblige us with three plates?"  
The plates were duly brought and the man took three sandwiches from his pocket, and the little party proceeded to enjoy themselves.  
But the outraged waiter hurried off and told the manager. The manager rushed up to the unworthy guest and said:  
"Look here, you, what do you take us for? Ordering one beer and then bringing out three plates to eat your sandwiches from? Why, I never—"  
"Who are you?" said the guest, taking a sip of beer and a nibble of sandwich.  
"Who am I? I'm the manager."  
The guest frowned.  
"O, are you?" he said fiercely. "Then you're just the fellow I'm looking for. Why the dickens isn't the orchestra playing?"—Washington Star.

Very Bad Scars  
A southern man tells of a darky named Theophilus Baxter, known as "the champion banjo player of Alabama."  
Wishing to afford a northern friend an example of real darky music, a blue woman went to Baxter's house with a view to enlisting his services at a musical function. She found his wife instead.  
"Very sorry, missy," said Baxter's spouse, "but Theophilus he ain't playin' no banjo any more. He jest puts in all his time fishin' now."  
"What led him to give up his playin'?" asked the disappointed caller.  
"Has he got religion?"  
"No, missy, he ain't got religion, but he's done got skinned."  
"Skinned? Of what?"  
"Of dat minstrel show, honey. De boss learns dat my ole man kin play, Railway company of England are an he offers him a stiddy job doin' it, engagin' girls as engine cleaners."

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

And Appearances  
Clean up for health and happiness.  
—Nashua Telegraph.

And Vice Versa  
The best thing the government can do with business is to let it alone.  
—Lowell Sun.

Mostly Rule  
The rule of ruin habit in political matters appears to run in the Bryan family.—Fall River Globe.

Very Mild Brother  
Put in its very mildest terms, our troops occupy a very strange position in Mexico today.—Lynn News.

An We Said Before:  
The concession should be complete and final. There already has been too much temporizing.—Fall River Herald.

Who Is This?  
Since he got back into congress he hasn't been sensational enough to furnish inspiration for the cartoonists.  
—Haverhill Gazette.

Prepare!  
It is the part of wisdom for the United States to prepare and quickly, for whatever may be brewing for her in the devil's broth.—Brookline Enterprise.

Instantaneous Concessions!  
Germany is said to be ready to make concessions to the United States. She has been doing this for months, but in such small doses as to be harmless.—Burlington Free Press.

His Answer  
Matt Hale said that if the pledged delegates were beaten it would be no loss to the country, that Massachusetts doesn't want Roosevelt. The people have spoken. Matt.—Berksire Eagle.

The Modern Job  
We have been mightily interested in preparedness as women see it. We have read all about the self-defense leagues, public drills, practice with firearms, and the other martial enthusiasms of women which are sweeping across country.—Worcester Post.

The London and Northwestern  
The London and Northwestern Railway company of England are an engaging girls as engine cleaners.

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voted to conduct a free concert for the residents of the district on the evening of May 11, the event to be conducted in the school hall.

A feature of the evening was the election of officers and Edward J. Tierney, Esq., was the unanimous choice of the assembly to succeed Charles J. Gallagher, who refused a reelection as president of the organization. The executive committee of the association was announced as follows: Arthur Genest, J. Ayer, W. T. S. Bartlett, Thomas S. Mathe, W. H. Rigby, Roscoe Ellis, Charles J. Gallagher, William Hayes, John Thomas, Dr. J. J. Cassidy, Martin H. Reilly and Joseph Harvey.

It was voted to confer with the Centralville Social club relative to the construction of a bridge at Beaver brook and the following committee was appointed for that purpose: W. T. S. Bartlett, Joseph Harvey, T. S. Mathe and John S. Poudreau. The publicity committee was announced as follows: Joseph Harvey, W. T. S. Bartlett and Charles J. Gallagher.

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While the yearly income from invested funds during the same period has averaged about.....	\$3000.00
Leaving a balance to be supplied from other sources of about.....	\$4000.00

This has been furnished in the past by admission fees, patrons' fees, and gifts.

The item of admission fees is variable and shows a range during the past six years from \$200 to \$1600 according to the number of vacancies that were filled.

Patrons' fees afford a small source of revenue fluctuating around \$100 per year. We hope this item can be great-

ly increased in the future through the kindness and friendliness of the ladies of Lowell.

The item of gifts has shown an alarming falling off, and the trustees believe due mainly to the mistaken idea that the home does not need funds.

A situation now confronts the institution that makes it necessary to appeal to the public for funds in order that it may keep up its good work to the limit of its capacity.

The financial need of the home is an added income yearly of about \$4000, which must be furnished either through a public subscription or by adding about \$50,000 to the invested funds.

Vacancies now exist in the home which cannot be filled until the trustees feel assured of sufficient funds to pay operating expenses, and therefore have decided to lay the facts before the public and ask its generous help.

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## CLEAN-UP WEEK

Daily Routine of Ash  
Teams for the Week  
of May 1

In order to facilitate matters during clean-up week the mayor instructed the board of health to prepare a daily routine of ash teams for the week and the board has submitted the following schedule:

**Monday**  
Central street from Tower's corner to Charles street.  
Charles street to Gosham street.  
Gosham street from Tower's corner to Davis square.  
Middlesex street from Tower's corner to Brouillette street.  
Livingston avenue.  
Windsor street.  
Tyler street to Wood street.  
All intervening streets between Princeton and Middlesex streets to Wood street.  
Worthing street.

Dutton street.  
Suffolk street.  
Market street.  
Merrimack street, up to Cabot street.  
Moody street, up to Cabot street.  
Middle street.  
All intervening streets between Cabot street to Merrimack square.

**Tuesday**  
Little Canada.  
Prescott street.  
Central street, from Canal bridge to Merrimack street.  
All of Centralville.

**Wednesday**  
Appleton street to Church street.  
Hurd street.  
William street.  
George street.  
Church street to Lawrence street.  
Lawrence street to the city line in Wigglesville.  
All intervening streets between Lawrence street and Gosham street from Church street and Central street to both sides of Gosham street to city line including Maple and London streets and streets running parallel to the N. Y. & N. H. tracks.

**Thursday**  
Chelmsford street and all side streets leading off B. & M. tracks to the city line and from Branch street, one side of Middlesex street to Harvard, to Princeton street and from Princeton street to Pine; Pine street to Parker; Parker street to Chelmsford street. This entire district is known as the Highland district.

**Friday**  
Starting on Dutton street, corner of Fletcher street.  
Fletcher street.  
Adams street.  
Common street.  
Salem street.  
Merrimack, Moody and Ford streets, from Cabot street.  
All of Pawtucketville, and all streets leading off Broadway from Suffolk street and intervening streets between Pawtucket street and Broadway to the junction of Pawtucket and Broadway.

**Saturday**  
Belvidere.

MOTHER OF  
FOUR CHILDREN

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Lincoln, Illinois.—"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for ten years with good results and I have four healthy children. This summer I was in a very run down condition and the very hot weather seemed more than I could stand, but I commenced taking your Compound in June and from then until September 25th, when my last baby was born, I got along much better than I had before. My baby was a girl and weighed 14 pounds at birth, and I recovered very rapidly which I am sure was due to your medicine. I am well and strong now, nurse my baby and do all my work. I had the same good results with your medicine when needed before my other children came and they are all healthy. My mother has taken your medicine with equal satisfaction. She had her last child when nearly 44 years old and feels confident she never would have carried him through without your help, as her health was very poor."—Mrs. T. F. CLOYD, 1355 North Gulick Ave., Decatur, Ill.

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SMOKED SHOULDERS.....	12½c		
PORK LOINS, To Roast.....	15c		
PURE LARD.....	12c		
BEST ARROSTOOK POTATOES, Pk.....	30c		
Hind Quarter Lamb.....	12½c	Pork Chops.....	15c
Legs Veal.....	12½c	Round Steak.....	20c
Fresh Eggs.....	22c	Hamburg.....	10c
Salmon, Tall Cans.....	3c	Bacon.....	15c
VERY BEST BREAD FLOUR (Searchlight).....	\$3.35		
FISH		Wax Beans.....	12½c
Fresh Mackerel.....	10c	Rhubarb.....	5c, 6 lbs. 25c
Haddock.....	5c	Lemons, doz.....	10c
Bluefish.....	8c	Lettuce.....	8c
Flounders.....	5c	Scallions.....	2c
Tile Fish.....	10c	Cranberries.....	7c
Alwives.....	2 for 5c	Tomatoes.....	6c
FRUIT AND VEGETABLES		Extra Large.....	12c
Spinach, New, pk.....	10c	Asparagus.....	2 bunches 25c
Cabbage.....	4c	Fine Apples.....	10c
LOBSTERS lb.....	23c		
STRAWBERRIES.....	18c		
LAUNDRY SOAP.....	9 Cakes 25c		
TOILET SOAP.....	9 Cakes 25c		
TOILET PAPER.....	9 Rolls 25c		
FLORIDA ORANGES, Large, Heavy, Thin Skin, Seedless.....	39c		
3 NICE GRAPEFRUIT, Not Too Large.....	10c		
3 IMMENSELY HEAVY GRAPEFRUIT.....	23c		
TEA, Extra Quality Golong.....	25c		
CEYLON, Extra Quality.....	35c		
COFFEE, Fresh Roast.....	15c, 19c, 24c, 39c		
Beauty Milk.....	7½c	Purity Oats.....	8c
Shredded Wheat.....	10c	Salt Pork.....	10c
Corn Flakes.....	6c	Corned Beef, thick rib.....	10c
Soups, Van Camp's.....	7c	Pigs' Heads.....	5c
Evaporated Apples, pkg.....	8c	Pigs' Feet.....	5c
Mince Meat, pkg.....	6c	Pigs' Ears.....	5c
BUTTERINE, for the Table, Quality A-1.....	15c, 20c, 25c		
5 LB. BOX FRANKLIN CO. CREAMERY BUTTER.....	33c		
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The climate and the air transcend all description; it's air that makes you eat and sleep right and fires you with a new ambition such as you haven't known for years.

If you will call at my office, I will be glad to go over the prospectus with you and outline a trip that can be made in exactly the time that you have to devote to it and within the cost that you decide you can spend. If it will be more convenient for you to send in a postal with your address, I will mail you some good reading matter on the scenic pictures and maps. Remember, there is no expense or obligation connected with an inquiry; that's what I'm here for.

ALLEN BUCKLEY, New England Pass, Agt. C. B. & Q. R. Co., 261 Washington St., Boston.

and when she had not appeared for several hours the door was opened and the body was found. The police were notified and after an examination decided that death was due to natural causes. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker McDonough.

## POLICE COURT

Continued.

was Patrolman Jerome Cullen, who testified that about 9:30 o'clock on the night of the 15th of April, Briggs drove his machine through Thorndike street at a rapid rate of speed, passed to the left of the traffic light, at the depot, climbed the hill, turned into Chelmsford, but had to turn back owing to the fact that the bridge is open. The man then went up Thorndike street towards the south common and several minutes later returned down the street. Thorndike street hill. There were three other persons in the car besides the driver and when Patrolman Cullen questioned Briggs he figured that his condition was such as to warrant the seizure of the man to the police station.

Lt. Alexander Duncan testified to seeing Briggs climb the hill but was not present when Patrolman Cullen stopped the machine subsequently. Briggs thought that the automobile was traveling about 50 miles an hour.

Patrolman Perkins testified to seeing Briggs at the police station and in his opinion the man was under the influence of liquor. He said that Briggs admitted he had been drinking. Inspector Walsh corroborated the testimony offered by the preceding witnesses.

After explaining the seriousness of the offense, imposed the fines stated.

**Guilt of Larceny.**  
Alvin L. Meader, who claims to be living in South Gardner st., but who has been working in this city for several weeks, was charged with the larceny of groceries and provisions from George Matthews and George C. Fairbank. It is alleged that Meader called at Mr. Matthews market on April 26th and ordered a 20 pounds of goods to be delivered in Appleton street, but when an attempt was made to make the delivery, it was found that there was no such number. The same day he called at Fairbank's market and ordered several pounds of meat and after stating that he wanted it delivered at a number on Bridge street, he said he would take a couple of pounds of meat with him. During the course of the trial this morning, it was also brought out that he got a pair of overalls and took from a woman who conducts a variety store. Meader asked to be given an opportunity to make restitution but the court decided that a jail sentence would be more proper, and therefore committed him to two months in jail.

**Assault and Battery.**  
Nicholas Palcanos was fined \$25 in court this morning, after being found guilty of assault and battery on James Jocas. The alleged assault occurred one week ago Tuesday night and although it was brought out during the course of the trial that the assault itself, Judge Enright was of the opinion that the defendant was the instigator and was equally liable as were the two men who made their escape.

Jocas was returning from his work on the night in question with his sister and sister-in-law, all three being employed in the Hamilton mills, where there had been a small strike. When near the railroad crossing in Merrimack street, it is alleged that three men approached Jocas, one of them knocking him down and as a result of the fall, he sustained a broken wrist. He retained the defendant as being present and making a threat, a threat having been made on the previous day also.

The defendant admitted he was present when the assault took place, but denied that he had anything to do with it. He was found guilty, however, and ordered to pay a fine of \$25.

**Other Offenders.**  
Almon A. Olds, charged with being a vagrant, was sentenced to the state farm. Thomas J. Cox, charged with larceny, was given a suspended sentence to the state farm and Theresa A. Riley was sent to jail for 15 days.

## TABERNACLE BILL KILLED

HOUSE VOTED TODAY TO SUSTAIN GOV. McCALL'S VETO OF MEASURE

BOSTON, April 28.—The house of representatives today voted to sustain Gov. McCall's veto of a bill which would make possible suspension of the building laws of this city for the erection of a tabernacle for Rev. W. A. Sunday. The vote was 159 to 60.

## DO YOU KNOW THAT

Walking is the best exercise—and the cheapest?  
The United States public health service administers typhoid vaccine gratis to federal employees?  
A little cough is frequently the warning signal of tuberculosis?  
Bad teeth and bad tonsils may be the cause of rheumatism?  
Unpasteurized milk frequently spreads disease?  
The air-tight dwelling leads but to the grave?  
Moderation in all things prolongs life?  
The careless spitter is a public danger?

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And then you'll buy one here. Compare the two and nothing we could say would convince you as surely as your own eyes, as to the vast superiority of ours.

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## INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Chile now has 547 local trades union bodies.

This country contains 6,000,000 factory workers.

England's labor unions have almost 4,000,000 members.

Before the war there were 1,300,000 wage earners in Canada.

In Shanghai, China, blacksmiths are paid only 25 cents a day.

The local painters' union held a routine meeting last night in Carpenters' hall.

The maximum wage of street railway employees at Rome, Italy, is 94 cents a day.

There are fewer suicides and more fatalities among miners than among any other class of workmen.

Two hundred thousand girls from various country districts are enrolled in the factories of Japan each year.

New York (Big Six) Typographical union is paying out on an average of \$1200 a week in out of work benefits.

There are 250 teachers and students of the Aberdeen (Scotland) university on service for their king and country.

In Iowa the great bulk of wage-earners average between \$12 and \$15 a week.

**Bricklayers Want More Pay**  
The Bricklayers' union is after more money for its members and demands have been presented the local contractors, asking that an increase of 5 cents an hour be granted. The bricklayers receive 40 cents an hour at the present time and they want 45 cents an hour. It is believed that the contractors will grant the demands by May 1.

**Carpenters to Get Wage Increase**  
The majority of the contractors of this city have agreed to give members of the three local Carpenters' union the advance in wages of five cents an hour asked for. The members of the unions recently submitted a new wage schedule and asked that an answer be given by the contractors by May 1. A meeting of the contractors was held yesterday, and while no definite action was taken on the wage matter, it was admitted that the increase will be granted.

Lowell carpenters, at the present time receive 50 cents an hour for a week of 44 hours. The new wage will be 55 cents an hour for the same week. Between 300 and 400 men will be affected.

**American Woolen Co.**  
The American Woolen company has made final deliveries upon the big Russian overcoating order taken last October and now has worked off all its war order business, the total of which last winter amounted to about \$25,000,000. The Russian order, which

## Thousands Take

this mild, family remedy to avoid illness, and to improve and protect their health. They keep their blood pure, their livers active, their bowels regular and digestion sound and strong with

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MARRYING MONEY  
Direct From a Year's Run at the Princess Theatre in New York City  
ORDER SEATS EARLY  
And arrange to go as early in the week as possible.

## TODAY'S STORM

Latest Date for Any Appreciable Fall of Snow in 27 Years

BOSTON, April 28.—Snow fell over eastern Massachusetts and Rhode Island, the latest date for any appreciable fall in more than 27 years. From early morning and through the forenoon unusually large flakes swirled on an easterly wind. In other sections of New England rain was reported. Records of the local weather bureau, extending back to 1859, showed no snowfall, although "traces of snow" have appeared as late as May 11. In the opinion of unofficial weather observers today's snow was the latest in more than half a century. The snowfall here was estimated at approximately two inches. There was a light rain just before midnight and at 4 o'clock this morning it turned to snow. The snow melted rapidly, however, and little inconvenience was caused.

The storm swept up from Cape Hatteras bringing rain as it moved across the lower part of New England until it approached the coast. Snow was reported from Providence, R. I., and other points in that state; from New Bedford and other southeastern Massachusetts cities and from Lowell in the northeastern section of this state. Points in Maine reported rain.

## MOOSE

Memorial services by Lowell lodge, 618, in Old Fellows Bldg., Sunday, April 30, 2 p. m. Members be present.

## B.F. KEITH'S

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THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE  
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JOHN BARRYMORE  
In "The Red Widow"

HAZEL DAWN  
In "My Lady Incog"

Borton Holmes Travel Pictures and Others.

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## LOWELL SOLDIER IN WAR

### Priv. H. Barette Tells of Rescuing Two Men in Trenches While Bullets Flew Around Him

Another interesting letter from Private H. Barette, who is a member of the Canadian army fighting under the British colors in France, has been received by the young man's mother, Mrs. E. M. Barette of 225 Ludlum street. The letter is as follows:

My Dear Mother: A few words in reply to the two letters I have just received from you. It is always pleasing to have news from the old homestead and more to learn that all the members of the family are enjoying good health. I will have another photograph taken in uniform and will send you a copy.

I thank God for the fact that I have not as yet had any misfortune except a slight illness, but for the past few days I am feeling fine. It is almost a miracle to be able to live in the trenches, where every hour of the day hundreds of men are being killed. I cannot tell you what is going on here, but nevertheless I am sending you a piece of the tunic worn by one of the German prisoners we recently captured. You may keep it as a souvenir of the Great European war.

A few days ago we were visited by the Canadian chaplain of the battalion, who bestowed his blessing upon the soldiers, who were kneeling in mud while shells were exploding on all sides. It was a really impressive sight to see so many men kneeling before a clergyman and paying so little attention to the pieces of shrapnel that were flying in the air.

My dear mother, since I have sent you my latest photograph, practically every man in my company has been replaced by others, most of them having

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## 30 CHILDREN RESCUED

LOUISE PENSA, PILOTS THOSE IN BURNING PROVIDENCE TENE-MENT HOUSE FROM STRUCTURE

PROVIDENCE, April 28.—Thirty young children were piloted to safety by Louise Pensa yesterday when fire broke out in the basement of the three-story tenement house at 7 and 9 Lilly street. The quick work of the woman, who lives on the third floor, probably saved from suffocation many of the little ones.

Div. 11 dance, A. O. H. hall, tonight.

GIVEN 12 YEARS

LAWRENCE, April 28.—Hermidas Saulnier, who on Wednesday pleaded guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Henry Willis of Bradford by gas asphyxiation in this city on October 16 last, was sentenced to serve not less than eight and not more than 12 years in state's prison at today's session of superior court.

## LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

contingent is withheld but news despatches from Marcellus have indicated a belief that as many as 250,000 Russian troops probably would be transferred this spring to the Franco-Belgian front.

**British Guard Vessel Sunk**

Another naval vessel reported destroyed is described by the German admiralty as a large British guard vessel. German naval forces accounted for this craft, which was encountered on the Dogger Bank. They also captured a fishing steamer and took it into a German port.

**Steamer Industry Lost**

The British press bureau announces the sinking of the British steamer industry of 4044 tons by a submarine, which left the crew in open boats in the Atlantic, 120 miles from land. The American liner Finland, from Liverpool for New York, picked up the crew. The industry, which was on her way to an American port is declared to have been unarmored.

**Russian Battleship Attacked**

Berlin announces an attack by three German aeroplanes on the Russian battleship Slava, the airmen dropping 31 bombs on the warship, on which a fire was observed to have broken out after several hits had been scored.

**Russians Repulsed**

The Turkish war office claims a repulse for the Russians in an attack on the right wing of the Turkish army near Suren, south of Bitlis, Armenia, the Russians retiring more than a mile to the northward after suffering heavy losses.

**Quiet In Verdun**

For the first time in many days the French official statement mentions no notable activity, even by the artillery, in the Verdun region. Only an intermittent bombardment in the vicinity of Avocourt and Ennes, west of the Meuse is recorded.

Along the rest of the French front there were no events of importance. German efforts for the present seem to be directed against the British along the line in northern France and Belgium, where London last night reported activity that seemed to observers there to indicate that the Germans might be able to launch an offensive as determined as that directed against Verdun.

Ambassador Gerard left Berlin last night for German army headquarters where he will have an audience with Emperor William, who with his advisers is considering the reply to the American note on submarine warfare.

**BRITISH WARSHIP AND GERMAN SUBMARINE SUNK—124 MEN MISSING**

LONDON, April 27, 1.52 p. m.—The British battleship Russell has been sunk by a mine. Admiral Fremantle, the captain of the Russell, 24 officers and 676 men were saved. About 124

men from the Russell are missing. The warship was sunk in the Mediterranean.

A German submarine was sunk off the east coast yesterday. It was announced officially today. Eighteen men on the submarine were captured.

The sinking of the Russell and of the German submarine was announced in the following official statement:

"H. M. S. Russell, Capt. William Bowden Smith, R.N., flying the flag of Rear Admiral Fremantle, struck a mine in the Mediterranean yesterday and was sunk. The admiral, captain, 24 officers and 676 men were saved. There are about 124 officers and men missing."

A German submarine was sunk off the coast yesterday. One officer and seventeen men of the crew surrendered and were made prisoners."

Under ordinary conditions the Russell carried between 750 and 800 men. The Russell was laid down in 1899 and completed in 1903. She was 405 feet long, 75 feet beam, 26 feet deep and displaced 14,000 tons. She was armed with four 12-inch, twelve 6-inch, twelve 3-inch and six 3-pound guns and four torpedo tubes. She cost about \$5,000,000.

The Russell's eleventh birthday birthday which has been lost during the war. The others were the Audacious, Ocean, Gollath, Triumph, Majestic, Natal and King Edward VII. In addition, about 35 other British warships of various classes have been destroyed.

**SWITZERLAND INDIGNANT OVER APPEARANCE OF GERMAN CRAFT OVER TERRITORY**

BERNE, April 27.—(Delayed)—The flight of a German aeroplane over Swiss territory in the region of Perentury yesterday morning, occurring so soon after a previous similar flight over the same territory has provoked the strongest indignation in Switzerland.

This is reflected in all sections of the press. The semi-official Bund says the time has come to demand from Germany something more than expressions of regret or excuses. The moderate Journal de Geneve points out that this is the thirteenth incident of the kind and that the German minister gave the most solemn assurances last August that there would be no further violations and added that German aviators were ordered to keep three miles from the Swiss frontier, yet the raids have become more frequent since then.

The newspaper describes the flight over Switzerland as an insulting disregard of federal authority.

**RUMANIANS DISTRESSED OVER TREATMENT BY TEUTON AUTHORITIES OF ATTACHE**

LONDON, April 27.—(Delayed)—The Rumanians are distressed over the treatment by Austro-Hungarian authorities of a Rumanian military attaché from the Berlin legation whom they arrested at Brasso, Transylvania, while he was on his way to Bucharest with a diplomatic case, says a Reuter despatch from Bucharest.

After representations the attaché was permitted to proceed, but the case was retained. Upon his arrival at Bucharest, the Rumanian government made an official application to Austria, whereupon the attaché's case was returned intact.

**CALM ON THE WHOLE FRENCH FRONT LAST NIGHT, SAYS PARIS**

PARIS, April 28.—No important events are reported during last night along the whole French front. There has been intermittent artillery fire about Avocourt and Ennes and some trench fighting in the sector of Regneville west of Font-a-Mousson.

Several aerial combats are reported, in the course of which a Fokker plane was driven to the earth in the enemy's lines in the region of Nestes-Chaumes.

This information is contained in the French official report issued this afternoon, the text of which follows:

"Last night witnessed no event of importance with the exception of an intermittent bombardment in the regions of Avocourt and Ennes, and a certain activity on the part of our trench guns in the sector of Regneville, to the west of Font-a-Mousson."

"During the day of Thursday French aviators delivered numerous aerial attacks. An aeroplane of the enemy was brought down in the region of Promezey. Two other German machines, attacked by French airmen, were compelled to land seriously injured, one near Doumauon and the other in the wood of Montfaucon. In the region of Nestes-Chaumes a German Fokker plane, reached by the French fire, was seen to fall headfirst within the German line. During the day of the 26th a French air squadron in the Woerwe bombardment the railroad station at La Marche, throwing down 15 shells."

**THE BRITISH STEAMSHIP INDUSTRY SUNK BY SUBMARINE**

LONDON, April 28, 1.51 p. m.—The British steamship industry has been sunk by a submarine, which left the crew of the vessel in open boats 120 miles from land. The crew was picked up by the American liner Finland.

The sinking of the steamship was made known in the following official statement:

"The British steamship industry was sunk by an enemy submarine and the crew was left in open boats in the Atlantic 120 miles from the nearest land. The boats, with the entire crew were picked up by the American liner Finland."

"The industry was proceeding to a United States port and was unarmored."

**THREE GERMAN AEROPLANES DROPPED 31 BOMBS ON RUSSIAN BATTLESHIP**

BERLIN, April 28. (By wireless to Tuckerton).—An official report issued today by the German admiralty announced that three German aeroplanes yesterday dropped thirty-one bombs on the Russian battleship

Slava. Several of the bombs are said to have taken effect and a fire on the battleship was distinctly observed.

The text of the admiralty statement follows: "Three German aeroplanes on April 27 dropped 31 bombs upon the Russian battleship Slava. Several hits and a conflagration were distinctly observed. All the raiders, in spite of the heaviest shelling, returned unharmed."

**OFFICIAL WAR REPORT FROM AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN HEADQUARTERS**

BERLIN, April 28. (By wireless to Sayville).—The Austro-Hungarian headquarters report of April 28, received here from Vienna, follows:

"On the southwest edge of the Dobro plateau new and violent engagements took place."

"In entering our positions on a larger front but when they manifested an intention to continue the attack the Austro-Hungarians by counter-attacks drove the Italians into their former positions and even ejected them from these in bitter hand to hand fighting. Thereby all our former positions are in our hands. Italians to the number of 130 were made prisoners."

"The artillery fire was very lively at several places on the Isonzo front."

"On the Carinthian front there was little activity. At Col di Lana our heavy mortars continued their fire. The enemy's artillery decreased its activity."

"In the Sugana sector the Italians evacuated all positions between Votto and Roncengo, where much war material was found. The Italians withdrew to Roncengo."

**ZEPPELINS WERE THE 'EYES' OF GERMAN RAIDING FLEET**

LONDON, April 28.—One of the German destroyers which participated in the bombardment of Lowestoft on Tuesday stopped the Swedish steamship James J. Dickson, en route for Amsterdam, and took her into a German port, according to the Rotterdam correspondent of the 26th.

The German raiding squadron, which numbered about 20, including six battle cruisers, was sighted from Ameland and Vlieland, the latter a Dutch island off the entrance of the Zuider Zee, the former in the North Sea, four miles north of the coast of Friesland, according to the Rotterdam correspondent.

As the squadron returned through the sound firing was heard, indicating that the German ships were being pursued. The German ships were preceded by four Zeppelins on the way to England, while on the return journey the Zeppelins kept in the rear, demonstrating their enormous value as the 'eyes of the fleet.'

**SWEDISH STEAMER WAS CAPTURED AND TAKEN TO HAMBURG BY GERMANS**

LONDON, April 27. (Delayed)—The Swedish steamer, J. J. Dickson, bound to Amsterdam, was captured and taken to Hamburg by the fleet of German warships which on Tuesday returned from the bombardment of the English coast on Tuesday last.

The name of the J. J. Dickson does not appear in available shipping records.

**AGREEMENT PERMITS THE SENDING OF CABLEGRAMS FROM DENMARK TO U. S.**

LONDON, April 27, 9.55 a. m. (Delayed).—An agreement has been reached between the Danish chamber of commerce and the British government by which cablegrams from Denmark to the United States and England concerning business transactions in accordance with the Anglo-Danish agreement are allowed to pass the British censorship without delay.

**ANOTHER CONTINGENT OF RUSSIAN TROOPS LANDED IN FRANCE**

PARIS, April 28, 2 p. m.—A Havas despatch from Marcellus reports the arrival there of a further contingent of Russian troops, the number of which is not given.

The Russians reached Marcellus this morning, the despatch says, and disembarked immediately. They were received with the same military and civil honors as were accorded the previous Russian detachments, and were cheered by the people as they marched to Camp Mirabeau. They will be sent in a few days to Camp Mailly.

**FOUR BRITISH CAVALRY SQUADRONS ANNIHILATED BY TURKS**

BERLIN, April 28. (By wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.).—Turkish troops annihilated four British cavalry squadrons, about 800 men, in a battle April 23 near Quatia, about 25 miles east of the Suez canal. This information was contained in an official report issued by the Turkish war department under date of April 27.

The text of the official statement says: "In an engagement near Quatia, east of the Suez canal, on April 23, Turkish troops annihilated four enemy cavalry squadrons."

"The Turkish forces attacked the British squadrons in a surprise manner."

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## FALSE ARREST ALLEGED

### Case Against Two Lowell Officers on in Circuit Court—Minor Case Heard at Local Court

The trial of the suit for false arrest by Julius Renika of this city against Sergt. Bartholomew Ryan and Patrolman Patrick Sullivan was resumed in the United States circuit court in Boston today. Renika, who lived in the vicinity of Charles street, alleges that he was arrested near his home and abused. Among the witnesses summoned to appear were City Physician Tighe, Capt. Atholston, Wagon Officer Hickson, Special Officer Clark and Patrolman P. Noonan.

In Superior Court

The case of Charles A. and Fred R. Blodgett of Westford vs. John J. Corkery of Cambridge, and that of

Frank B. Miller, also of Westford, vs. the same, which are being tried together at the civil session of the superior court, was resumed this morning. In the first case the plaintiffs seek to recover the sum of \$286.40, which they claim the defendant owes them for milk. The plaintiffs claim that on July 19, 1915, they were given a check for the above mentioned amount on the Central Trust Co. of Cambridge, and that the said check was protested and payment refused. In the other case the plaintiff seeks to recover the sum of \$52.80, for sales of milk to defendant, Edward Fisher appears for the plaintiffs and Dallinger & Stearns for the defendant.

strongly fortified positions near Quatia, destroying the entire camp and a large part of the fortified positions.

"The enemy suffered heavy losses. The survivors hastily fled toward the canal."

One colonel, one major, twenty captains and lieutenants, and 257 wounded and 24 wounded soldiers were taken prisoner.

"Turkish camel riders and Medina volunteers distinguished themselves in this action."

"On April 25 an enemy air squadron, composed of nine aeroplanes, in order to avenge the defeat, raided Quatia and dropped about seventy bombs upon the hospital, which drew the Geneva flag. One British and two Turkish wounded soldiers were killed and two British soldiers were again wounded."

"Turkish aeroplanes successfully attacked the enemy's man-of-war at Fikantara and the decks of Fort Said. They also dropped bombs on camps of the enemy between Port Said and Fikantara. The machines returned unharmed."

"Caucasian front: On April 25 the Russians attacked on the right wing

near Suren, south of Bitlis. They were repulsed, retiring two kilometers to the northward and suffering heavy losses."

"Turkish hydro-aeroplanes dropped bombs on the enemy's aviation station on Imbrus Island. A conflagration was observed. In spite of anti-aircraft machine gun and artillery fire the hydro-aeroplanes returned safely."

**FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR**

**NEWS IN BRIEF**

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British and Germans fighting heavily; numerous assaults by Teutons. French stop two German assaults north of Verdun.

Germans beat back French attack west of the Meuse. Italians put down successive Austrian assaults at Selz. Austrians gain near Plocken. Russians capture village in Volhynia and turn Turks out of all mountain posts south of Bitlis.

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